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To: SACs, Washington Field - Enc. (4)  
Los Angeles  
San Francisco  
Denver  
Baltimore  
Cincinnati

From: Director, FBI

SIMON RAMO  
SPECIAL INQUIRY  
BUDED: 10-19-73

Bureau has been requested to conduct investigation of Ramo who is being considered for White House clearance. Born 5-7-13, Salt Lake City, Utah, and resides 276 Tavistock Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

Washington Field refer to your file 77-63883; Los Angeles file 77-10945; San Francisco file 77-8012; and Denver file 77-4008, and bring 1959 investigation up to date. At time of 1959 investigation, Ramo was Executive Vice President, Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation, now TRW, Los Angeles, California. Is currently Vice Chairman of the Board and Chairman of the Executive Committee of this firm. See Who's Who for further background.

For information of Denver and San Francisco, at time of 1959 investigation, Ramo's mother, Clara, and sister, Gertrude Molly Marovitz, resided 3222 Pacific Avenue, Oakland, California, and his brother, Leon, a physician, resided at 2345 South Saint Paul, Denver, Colorado.

San Francisco also refer to your file 100-66811 concerning

r/s [redacted] - Credit  
[redacted] - LAD  
[redacted] - LASD  
[redacted] - Traffic, New York  
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Airtel to Washington Field  
Re: Simon Ramo

Ramo's son,  Include pertinent information in your report.

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✓ Los Angeles determine current whereabouts of all close relatives and set out appropriate leads. Furnish SSAN to WFO for IES check.

Baltimore check DCII and Cincinnati check DISCO.

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Date: 10/11/73

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FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (161-2463) (P)

SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED 10/19/73.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL TO WASHINGTON FIELD 10/4/73.

FOR INFORMATION CLEVELAND AND NEW YORK, BUREAU HAS  
 BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT INVESTIGATION OF RAMO WHO IS  
 BEING CONSIDERED FOR WHITE HOUSE CLEARANCE. RAMO BORN  
 5/7/13, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, AND CURRENTLY RESIDES, 1025  
 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA. RAMO  
 PREVIOUSLY INVESTIGATED IN 1959, ~~UNDER IDENTICAL CAPTION~~  
~~AS ABOVE.~~ <sup>-shot</sup> AT TIME OF 1959 INVESTIGATION RAMO WAS EXECUTIVE  
 VICE PRESIDENT, THOMPSON-RAMO-WOOLDRIDGE CORPORATION,  
 NOW TRW, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. HE IS CURRENTLY VICE  
 CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHAIRMAN OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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OF THIS FIRM. SEE WHO'S WHO FOR FURTHER BACKGROUND.

PER BUREAU REQUEST ~~IN REFERENCED AIRTEL FOLLOWING~~  
ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION OBTAINED:

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 074-01-6577.

RELATIVES BY NAME AND CURRENT ADDRESS - FATHER,  
BENJAMIN RAMO, BORN 1883, BREST-LITOVSK, WHITE RUSSIA,  
DECEASED 1950; MOTHER, CLARA TRESTMAN RAMO, BORN 1890  
NEAR KIEV, WHITE RUSSIA, DECEASED 1966; WIFE, VIRGINIA  
MAY RAMO, BORN 5/4/16, YONKERS, NEW YORK, RESIDENCE WITH  
APPOINTEE; SON, [REDACTED] BORN [REDACTED] LOS  
ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, ATTENDING UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA  
LAW SCHOOL, BOLT HALL, BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA, RESIDENCE  
2201 WARD STREET, BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA; SON, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] BORN [REDACTED] LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, ECONOMIST,  
RESIDENCE HOTEL EXECUTIVE, 237 MADISON AVENUE, NEW YORK  
CITY, NEW YORK; SISTER, MRS. GERTRUDE (MAX) MAROVITZ,  
RESIDENCE 269 HANOVER AVENUE, APARTMENT 502, OAKLAND,  
CALIFORNIA; BROTHER, DR. LEON RAMO, M.D., OFFICE AT 1955  
PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, SUITE 205, DENVER, COLORADO, RESIDENCE  
6790 EAST CEDAR AVENUE, APARTMENT 211, DENVER, COLORADO.

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REFERENCE, GENERAL B. A. SCHRIEVER, 1025 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, N.W., SUITE 1209, WASHINGTON, D.C.

FOLLOWING OFFICERS OF TRW ARE LOCATED AT CORPORATE HEADQUARTERS, 23555 EUCLID AVENUE, CLEVELAND, OHIO:

CHARLES R. ALLEN, VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER; HORACE A. SHEPARD, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER; JOHN DAVID WRIGHT, CHAIRMAN OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE AND RETIRED CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD; STANLEY C. PACE, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT; A. WILLIAM REYNOLDS, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT; JAMES E. DUNLAP, VICE PRESIDENT, EMPLOYEE RELATIONS; EUGENE E. FORD, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL COUNSEL; AND LLOYD N. HAND, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT AND ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT.

ALL OFFICES COVER LEADS YOUR DIVISION.

SPIN.

Reference

TO: CHIEF CLERK

Subject Dr. Robert H. Bacher

Date

Social Security Account #

Address Prof. of Physics Calif. Inst. of Technology  
1201 E. California Blvd. Pasadena, Calif. 91105  
Birth Date 8/31/05 Birthplace Londonville, Ohio Race White Sex ☒ Male ☐ Female

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<u>✓ 161-141 * (11/61)</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>See attached file</u>	
<u>✓ 66-1700-2343 thru 2343 E (5/61)</u>	<u>See attached file. Name appears on list of names say, b3</u> <u>up to 1000 high energy physics people b7E</u> <u>in Moscow beginning 8/1/46, not listed</u>	<u>Destroyed</u>	
<u>Dr. Robert H. Bacher</u>			
<u>✓ 77-5047 * (12/53)</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>See attached file.</u>	
<u>✓ [redacted] * (11/64)</u>	<u>Do you have this file?</u>		
<u>✓ 100-53715 * (2/56)</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>See attached file. subject</u>	
<u>✓ 116-63511 * (11/56)</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>See attached file.</u>	
<u>✓ 66-2098-14 (9/51)</u>		<u>Destroyed</u>	
<u>✓ 36-139-277 (9/51)</u>	<u>Not pert. Recd. Jan 1954, bundle letter from Wash. City.</u>		
<u>✓ 66-1724-194 (5/52)</u>		<u>Destroyed</u>	
<u>✓ [redacted] (9/54)</u>	<u>Not pert. Letter dated 10/5/54, states no identifiable info.</u>		
<u>✓ [redacted] (5/55)</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>See attached file Not pert.</u>	
<u>✓ 77-5329-284.171 (8/54)</u>	<u>Not pert. Mention Bacher was subject of</u>		
<u>✓ [redacted]</u>	<u>significant type investigation in 1953.</u>		
<u>✓ 66-1733-14</u>		<u>Destroyed</u>	
<u>✓ 66-1724-76 (7/50)</u>		<u>Destroyed</u>	

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TO: CHIEF CLERK

Subject

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Aliases

Address

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Birthplace

Race

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<i>Dr. Robert Noel Bacher</i>			
<i>✓ 117-0-165</i>	<i>Not pert. Newspaper ed. re Bacher's resignation from AEC to join Calif. Inst. of Technology faculty.</i>		
<i>✓ 100-18721-255</i>	<i>Not pert. Awarded medal for merit by U.S. Navy Dept. for work on atomic bomb.</i>		
<i>✓ 100-24080-4.3 (2/50)</i>	<i>Not pert. Very cooperative during interview.</i>		
<i>✓ [redacted] (6/50)</i>	<i>Not pert. Interviewed re Chung Yao Chao</i>		<i>b3 b7D</i>
<i>✓ [redacted] (2/50)</i>	<i>Not pert. Interviewed re Subject Chung Y. Chao</i>		<i>b7E</i>
<i>✓ [redacted] (3/51)</i>	<i>Not pert. Interviewed by FBI re Alfred Sarant. Could offer no info re political sympathies.</i>		
<i>✓ 100-24080-40 (3/52)</i>	<i>Not pert. Announcement of appointment to AEC.</i>		
<i>✓ [redacted] (7/51)</i>	<i>Not pert. Just lists him as chairman of Speccon (Special Regions) group of Project History.</i>		
<i>✓ 100-24080-85 (4/51)</i>	<i>Not pert. Newspaper announcement re appointment as chairman of AEC.</i>		
<i>✓ 66-2098-20 (11/51)</i>	<i>Destroyed</i>		
<i>✓ Bob Bacher</i>			
<i>✓ Bobby Bacher</i>			
<i>✓ R. Bacher</i>			
<i>✓ 159-153-2p. 103 (6/63)</i>	<i>Pres. Stove Purchase &amp; Allied Monitoring Appliance Firms Inter. Union</i>		
<i>✓ Robert Bacher</i>			
<i>✓ [redacted] (3/53)</i>	<i>See file name appears on mailing list 325 J. Wilson Pasadena</i>		

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*Div. of Science & Education  
Div. of So. Calif. Chapter  
National Council of the  
Arts, Sciences & Professions.*



Applicant

TO: CHIEF CLERK

Subject

Date

Social Security Account #

Aliases Simon Ramo  
Thompson - Ramo - Holdridge Corp. LA  
Currently Vice Chairman of Bd. & Chairman Exec. Com. of this firm  
Address 1025 Loma Vista Dr.  
Beverly Hills, Calif. Birth Date 5/7/13 Birthplace Salt Lake City Race White Sex ☒ Male ☐ Female

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✓ 125-3 4488-511 (5/73)	not pertinent	✓ 125-3 4488-511 (5/73)	has to lead discussion & briefing on DRP activities during Russian Scientific Delegation visit. See attached name appears on list of proposed DRP Director of Guni Co. a national computer corp. for pooling people on current issue.
✓ 7-1080-9-24 p.111 (Dr.) I	not pertinent	✓ 7-1080-9-24 p.111 (Dr.) I	Chairman of DRP.
✓ 7-1260-3 (9/69) (Dr.) I	not pertinent	✓ 7-1260-3 (9/69) (Dr.) I	Chairman of DRP.
✓ 7-1080-9-146 b.6	not pertinent	✓ 7-1080-9-146 b.6	on 9/13/69. Found unharmed.
✓ 87-26239-1 (3/67) I	not pertinent	✓ 87-26239-1 (3/67) I	Re jewel robbery of his home.
✓ 100-24471-64 (11/59) (Dr.) I	not pertinent	✓ 100-24471-64 (11/59) (Dr.) I	attended dinner hosted by Bart Lytton for Russian composer Shostakovich & other Russians (musicians).
✓ 77-10945X (8/59) I	not pertinent	✓ 77-10945X (8/59) I	accused by coworkers of slowing missile project.
✓ 100-19485-7 (3/50) I	not pertinent	✓ 100-19485-7 (3/50) I	destroyed
✓ 116-4580X	not pertinent	✓ 116-4580X	destroyed
✓ Simon Ramo	not pertinent	✓ Simon Ramo	destroyed
✓ S. Ramo	not pertinent	✓ S. Ramo	destroyed
✓ Simon Ramo	not pertinent	✓ Simon Ramo	destroyed

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Son

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Subject

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Aliases

Birth Date

Birthplace

Race

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✓ 100-75794 \* (7/70) *noted*

*See attached file.*

✓ 7-1080-9-24 p. 111 (3/70) *I*

✓ 7-1260 \* (9/69) *Victim*

✓ 7-1080-9-146 d. 1 *I*

*Alan Rams was kidnap  
victim on 9/13/69 noted*

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Son

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Birthplace

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✓ 87-26239\*(3/67) Victim I

✓ 116-4580-1 Destroyed

Mrs. Simon Ramo

✓ 100-24471-64 (11/59)

Mrs. S. Ramo

✓ 87-28170-2 (3/68) I

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, CHICAGO

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (161-2463)(P)

SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED 10/19/73.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPE TO BUREAU 10/11/73.

FOR INFORMATION CHICAGO, BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT INVESTIGATION OF RAMO WHO IS BEING CONSIDERED FOR WHITE HOUSE CLEARANCE. RAMO, BORN 5/7/13, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, CURRENTLY RESIDES 1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA. RAMO PREVIOUSLY INVESTIGATED IN 1959. AT THAT TIME RAMO WAS EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, THOMPSON-RAMO-WOOLDRIDGE CORPORATION, NOW TRW, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. HE IS CURRENTLY VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHAIRMAN OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THIS FIRM. SEE WHO'S WHO FOR FURTHER BACKGROUND.

PER BUREAU REQUEST ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION OBTAINED: SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER 074-01-6577.

ON INSTANT DATE, [REDACTED] SECRETARY, TRW, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], ADVISED GEORGE J. HART, VICE

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PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER, ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS  
DIVISION, IS CURRENTLY AT CERICH DIVISIONS OF TRW, INC.,  
1501 MORSE AVENUE, ELK GROVE VILLAGE, ILLINOIS, TELEPHONE  
(312) 439-8800.

CHICAGO INTERVIEW HART CONCERNING APPOINTEE.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI *MES*  
SAC, CLEVELAND *DB*

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (161-2463) (P)

SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED 10/19/73.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL TO WASHINGTON FIELD, 10/4/73 AND  
 LOS ANGELES NITEL TO BUREAU, 10/11/73.

ON 10/16/73,  SECRETARY TO RICHARD D. DE LAUER, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, TRW, INCORPORATED, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT DR. DE LAUER CAN BE CONTACTED AT THE CORPORATE OFFICES OF TRW, INCORPORATED, IN CARE OF PRESIDENT DR. RUBEN F. METTLER, 23555 EUCLID AVENUE, CLEVELAND, OHIO. DR. DE LAUER IS NOT SCHEDULED TO RETURN TO LOS ANGELES UNTIL 10/22/73.

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CLEVELAND, INTERVIEW DR. DE LAUER.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI /MS/

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (161-2463)(RUC)

SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED PAST.

RE REPORT SA  dated 10/17/73 AT LOS ANGELES.

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FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL ASSOCIATES OF APPOINTEE AT TRW, INC., INTERVIEWED:

ON 10/19/73, DR. DEAN WOOLRIDGE, 4545 VIA ESPERANZA, SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN APPOINTEE SINCE 1936 WHEN BOTH WERE PH.D STUDENTS AT CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (CIT), PASADENA, CALIFORNIA. IN 1953 HE AND APPOINTEE FORMED RAMO-WOOLRIDGE CORPORATION, LATER MERGING WITH THOMPSON PRODUCTS TO BECOME TRW, INC. WOOLRIDGE RETIRED FROM TRW IN 1962. HE MAINTAINED CLOSE BUSINESS AND SOCIAL CONTACT FROM 1946 TO 1962 AND MERELY SOCIAL CONTACT SINCE THAT TIME. WOOLRIDGE CONSIDERS APPOINTEE TO BE FINE EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATOR. APPOINTEE IS WELL REGARDED AS CAPABLE

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PHYSICIST, EXPERT IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING AND AS TROUBLE-SHOOTER FOR U. S. GOVERNMENT. WOOLRIDGE KNOWS OF NO JOB IN U. S. GOVERNMENT WHICH APPOINTEE COULD NOT HANDLE. HE THINKS HIGHLY OF APPOINTEE'S CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES, REPUTATION, LOYALTY AND INTEGRITY. HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDS APPOINTEE FOR POSITION OF TRUST.

ON 10/19/73, DR. EDWARD B. DOLL, CORPORATE VICE-PRESIDENT AND ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER, SYSTEMS DIVISION, TRW, INC., 1 SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE ATTENDED GRADUATE SCHOOL WITH APPOINTEE AT CIT, PASADENA, CALIFORNIA, IN 1933-1935. HE HAS BEEN CLOSELY ASSOCIATED WITH APPOINTEE BOTH PROFESSIONALLY AND SOCIALLY SINCE 1955 WHEN HE, DOLL, WAS EMPLOYED BY TRW. HE CHARACTERIZED APPOINTEE AS BRILLIANT SCIENTIST, ONE WHO IS AN INSPIRATION TO OTHERS; ONE WHO HAS BOTH THE INTERESTS OF TRW AND HIS GOVERNMENT AT HEART, A HIGHLY RESPONSIBLE MEMBER OF BUSINESS AND GOVERNMENT COMMUNITIES, A FINE EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATOR. DR. DOLL CLASSIFIED APPOINTEE AS MAN OF ACTION, EXTREMELY TEMPERATE, OF HIGHEST INTEGRITY, ONE WHO MAKES HIS OWN DECISIONS BASED ON OBSERVATIONS AND RESEARCH, ONE WHO IS OF EXCELLENT CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES, REPUTATION AND LOYALTY AND HIGHLY RECOMMENDS HIM FOR POSITION OF TRUST.

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ON 10/23/73, DR. ROBERT F. BACHER, PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS, CIT, PASADENA, CALIFORNIA, APPOINTEE'S REFERENCE, ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN APPOINTEE SINCE 1949. HE WORKED WITH HIM FROM 1955 TO PRESENT ON VARIOUS PROJECTS AT RAMO-WOOLRIDGE, AND TRW, INC. BACHER AND APPOINTEE HAVE BEEN ON BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF CIT FOR AT LEAST PAST FIVE YEARS. BACHER DESCRIBED APPOINTEE AS HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL AND INTELLIGENT EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATOR OF INTEGRITY AND BUSINESS ACUMEN. HE IS OF EXCELLENT CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES, REPUTATION AND LOYALTY. HE HAS HANDLED MANY HIGHLY CLASSIFIED MATTERS FOR THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND IS REGARDED AS KNOWLEDGEABLE IN FIELD OF PHYSICS, ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING AND ECONOMICS. HE KNOWS NOTHING UNFAVORABLE CONCERNING APPOINTEE AND HIGHLY RECOMMENDS HIM FOR POSITION OF TRUST.

UACB, NO REPORT BEING SUBMITTED.

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710PM URGENT 6-25-76 LKM  
TO WASHINGTON FIELD (161-9312)

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NEW YORK (161-4577)

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ALEXANDRIA

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ST. LOUIS

FROM DIRECTOR (161-9883)

SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED JULY 2, 1976, WITHOUT FAIL.

BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT VERY EXPEDITE INVESTIGATION TO BRING UP TO DATE NOVEMBER, 1973, SPECIAL INQUIRY OF RAMO WHO IS BEING CONSIDERED FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, POSITION NOT INDICATED.

BORN MAY 7, 1913, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, MARRIED TO FORMER VIRGINIA SMITH, HAS TWO CHILDREN, RESIDES 1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA, AND IS VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, TRW, INCORPORATED, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA.

SEE WHO'S WHO, 38TH EDITION, PAGE 2520, FOR ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND DATA.

LOS ANGELES IMMEDIATELY ASCERTAIN CURRENT LOCATIONS OF ALL CLOSE RELATIVES AND SET OUT NECESSARY LEADS AT ONCE.

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FOR INFORMATION WASHINGTON FIELD RESULTS PRIOR INVESTIGATION  
FURNISHED TO ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION  
NOVEMBER 7, 1973, AND DEPARTMENT OF STATE, OCTOBER 2L, 1974.

WHITE HOUSE DESIRES THIS CASE RECEIVE EXPEDITIOUS ATTENTION.  
CONSEQUENTLY, BUDED MUST BE MET WITHOUT FAIL. NO DELAY WILL  
BE TOLERATED.

SPIN.

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11:59AM URGENT 6/28/76 PBB

TO DIRECTOR (161-9883)  
LOS ANGELES (161-2463)

FROM CINCINNATI (161-1502) (P)

SIMON RAMO SPIN BUDED JULY 2, 1976, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE BUREAU URGENT TELETYPE TO CINCINNATI AND LOS ANGELES,  
JUNE 25, 1976.

ON JUNE 28, 1976, [REDACTED] DISCO, COLUMBUS, OHIO,  
ADVISED CURRENT RECORDS FOR APPLICANT ARE MAINTAINED IN A  
COMPUTER BY SSAN. [REDACTED] REQUESTED SSAN OF APPLICANT BE  
FURNISHED FOR RECORDS TO BE CHECKED WITH DISCO.

LOS ANGELES ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN APPLICANT'S SSAN AND FORWARD  
IMMEDIATELY TO CINCINNATI.

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5:07PM N URGENT JUNE 29, 1976 RMM

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (MAIL) AND SACS,

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LOS ANGELES

NEW YORK

SAN FRANCISCO

FROM: SAC, WFO (161-9312)(P)

SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED JUNE 2, 1976, WITHOUT FAIL.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED JUNE 25, 1976.

WFO INVESTIGATION OBTAINED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FROM  
THE APPOINTEE:

APPOINTEE'S WIFE, VIRGINIA MAY RAMO, NEE SMITH, BORN  
ON MAY 4, 1916, RESIDES AT 1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY  
HILLS, CALIFORNIA. SON, [REDACTED] BORN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] IN TRANSIT THIS DATE FROM 345 EAST 73RD STREET,  
MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, TO 1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS,  
CALIFORNIA, WHERE SON AND HIS WIFE WILL RESIDE AT APPOINTEE'S  
HOME FOR APPROXIMATELY TEN DAYS.

APPOINTEE COULD NOT FURNISH HOME ADDRESS FOR SON, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] BORN [REDACTED] LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA,  
BUT DID ADVISE HE IS EMPLOYED WITH THE LAW FIRM OF JOHNSON,  
SMITH, FOGEL AND RAMO IN SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA, BUSINESS PHONE

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(408) 287-7717.

APPOINTEE'S SISTER, MRS. GERTRUDE (MAX) MAROVITZ, RESIDES AT 269 HANDOVER AVENUE, APARTMENT 502, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, PHONE NUMBER (451) 832-2289. APPOINTEE'S BROTHER, DR. LEON RAMO, M.D., RESIDES AT 6700 EAST CEDAR AVENUE, APARTMENT 211, DENVER, COLORADO, HOME PHONE (303) 388-8147.

NEW YORK BE ADVISED THAT APPOINTEE'S SON,  IS IN TRANSIT TO CALIFORNIA THIS DATE.

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ALL OFFICES VERIFY RESIDENCE OF RELATIVES AND HANDLE POLICE CHECKS.

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TO: ~~CHIEF CLERK~~ ✓  
Subject: T.R.W.  
Date: 7/7/76  
Social Security Account #

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135-230-57 (9/61)	Destroyed		
T.R.W. Corporation			
173-295* (12/74)			
T.R.W. Credit Bureau			
87-39078-1 (2/74)			
T.R.W. Credit Data			
9-4953* (1/72)			
122-3310-26 (2/75)			
T.R.W. Data Systems			
87-35013-12 (10/71)			
T.R.W. Inc.			
87-41046-5 d. 115 (6/75)	Quid		

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<del>TRW Systems</del>			
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~~CINCINNATI~~ (161-1502) **RRS**  
FROM LOS ANGELES (161-2463) (P)**MAG  
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SIMON RAMO - SPIN, BUDED JULY 2, 1976, WOF.

RE CINCINNATI TEL TO BUREAU AND LOS ANGELES, JUNE 28, 1976.

APPOINTEES SOCIAL SECURITY ACCOUNT NUMBER IS 074-01-6577.

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FROM: LOS ANGELES (161-2463) (P)

**MAG. CARD**SIMON RAMO; SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: JULY 2, 1976, WITHOUT  
FAIL.

RE LOS ANGELES REPORT OF SA [REDACTED]  
OCTOBER 17, 1973, AND BUREAU TELETYPE TO WASHINGTON FIELD;  
ET AL, FEBRUARY 25, 1976; CINCINNATI TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND  
LOS ANGELES, JUNE 28, 1976, AND WASHINGTON FIELD TELETYPE  
TO BUREAU; ET AL, JUNE 29, 1976.

## EMPLOYMENT:

ON JUNE 30, 1976, [REDACTED] SECRETARY TO APPOINTEE,  
TRW, INC., ONE SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED  
SA [REDACTED] THAT THE APPOINTEE IS CURRENTLY VICE CHAIRMAN  
OF THE BOARD AND CHAIRMAN OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TRW, INC.,  
ONE SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA, AND CONTINUES TO  
HOLD VARIOUS POSITIONS IN THE FOLLOWING ORGANIZATIONS:  
MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA  
SYMPHONY - HOLLYWOOD BOWL ASSOCIATION, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA;  
MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF UNION BANK CORPORATION,  
INC., LOS ANGELES, AND WILL BE ONE OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE

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UNION BANK AND UNION AMERICA, INC. IN AUGUST, 1976;  
ONE OF THE DIRECTORS OF TIMES - MIRROR COMPANY, LOS ANGELES,  
CALIFORNIA; TRUSTEE, CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY,  
PASADENA, CALIFORNIA; TRUSTEE OF THE CITY OF HOPE; MEMBER  
OF THE BOARD OF NATIONAL SYMPHONY ORGANIZATION, WASHINGTON, D.C.

[ ] ADVISED THAT THE APPOINTEE'S MOTHER-IN-LAW PASSED AWAY  
JUNE 29, 1976, AND THAT MRS. RAMO AND THE APPOINTEE WOULD  
BE UNAVAILABLE FOR CONTACT BECAUSE OF THIS SITUATION.

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SHE ADVISED SINCE THE FBI CONDUCTED BACKGROUND INVESTI-  
GATION CONCERNING APPOINTEE IN 1973, NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES  
HAVE OCCURRED IN HIS EMPLOYMENT PICTURE EXCEPT AS NOTED  
ABOVE. [ ] ADVISED THAT THE APPOINTEE'S SECRETARY AT  
THE TIME OF THE PREVIOUS INVESTIGATION WAS [ ] WHO HAS  
RETIRED FROM THE COMPANY. [ ] ADVISED THAT SHE HAS THE  
HIGHEST REGARD FOR THE APPOINTEE'S CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES,  
REPUTATION, AND LOYALTY (CARL) AND HIS PROFESSIONAL AND  
BUSINESS ABILITIES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

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ON INDICATED DATES THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS WERE  
CONTACTED BY SA [ ] WHO WERE ALSO CONTACTED DURING THE

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1973 INVESTIGATION OF THE APPOINTEE. EACH OF THESE INDIVIDUALS ADVISED THAT THEIR COMMENTS CONCERNING APPOINTEE ARE THE SAME AS ORIGINALLY GIVEN IN THE 1973 REPORT AND CONTINUED TO GIVE APPOINTEE THEIR HIGHEST RECOMMENDATION: J. SIDNEY WEBB, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, TRW, ONE SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA, JUNE 30, 1976.

ARTHUR V. SOMMER, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER - ENERGY SYSTEMS GROUP, ONE SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA, JUNE 30, 1976.

ROBERT BROMBERG, VICE PRESIDENT OF RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING, TRW, INC., ONE SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH, JULY 2, 1976.

H. RUSSELL SMITH, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, AVERY INTERNATIONAL, 415 HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SAN MARINO, CALIFORNIA, JUNE 30, 1976.

JOHN CONNELL, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA SYMPHONY - HOLLYWOOD BOWL ASSOCIATION, CURRENTLY DIRECTOR OF MICHAEL J. CONNELL FOUNDATION, 611 WEST SIXTH STREET, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, JUNE 30, 1976.

DR. FRANKLIN MURPHY, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, TIMES - MIRROR COMPANY, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, JUNE 30, 1976.

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THOMAS JONES, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF  
EXECUTIVE OFFICER, NORTHROP CORPORATION, 3901 BROADWAY,  
HAWTHORNE, CALIFORNIA, JULY 2, 1976.

EFFORTS ARE CONTINUING TO CONTACT REMAINING INDIVIDUALS  
WHO WERE CONTACTED IN 1973 AND WHOSE COMMENTS ARE REFLECTED  
IN REFERENCED LOS ANGELES REPORT. MOST OF THESE INDIVIDUALS  
WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE EARLIEST TUESDAY, JULY 6, AND RESULTS  
OF THEIR CONTACT WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE BUREAU ASAP.

RESIDENCES:

ON MARCH 29, 1976, SA [REDACTED] CONTACTED [REDACTED]

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EACH ADVISED THEY WERE NOT CLOSELY ACQUAINTED WITH THE  
APPOINTEE OR HIS FAMILY BUT KNEW THAT THEY HAD RESIDED AT  
1024 LOMA VISTA DRIVE FOR THE PAST EIGHT OR NINE YEARS.  
EACH RECALLED THAT IN 1969 THE APPOINTEE'S SON WAS KIDNAPPED  
AND THIS INCIDENT PRODUCED A GREAT DEAL OF EXCITEMENT IN  
THE NEIGHBORHOOD. EACH ADVISED THAT THE RAMO <sup>family</sup> ENJOY FAVORABLE

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REPUTATION IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD. NONE OF THESE NEIGHBORS WERE ACQUAINTED WITH THE APPOINTEE'S CHILDREN AND COULD NOT COMMENT ABOUT THEM. NONE WERE WELL ENOUGH ACQUAINTED TO OFFER RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING APPOINTEE BUT EMPHASIZED THE FACT THAT EACH BELIEVED HIM TO BE A PERSON OF GREAT INFLUENCE AND STANDING IN THE COMMUNITY.

REFERENCES:

ATTEMPTS TO CONTACT PROFESSOR ROBERT F. BACKER AT CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, NEGATIVE AS HE IS UNAVAILABLE FOR CONTACT UNTIL JULY 7, 1976.

CREDIT AND ARRESTS:

ON INDICATED DATES THE RECORDS OF THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES BY THE INDIVIDUALS NOTED WERE CHECKED. NO RECORD WAS LOCATED IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE OR HIS WIFE AND SONS EXCEPT AS NOTED:

CREDIT BUREAU OF GREATER LOS ANGELES (COVERS LOS ANGELES COUNTY), LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, JUNE 30, 1976,

SC



LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

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JUNE 30, 1976, BY SC [REDACTED]

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REDONDO BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT, REDONDO BEACH,  
CALIFORNIA, JULY 2, 1976, SA [REDACTED] (ON APPOINTEE ONLY).

BEVERLY HILLS POLICE DEPARTMENT, BEVERLY HILLS,  
CALIFORNIA, JULY 1, 1976, SA [REDACTED]

THE RECORDS OF BEVERLY HILLS POLICE DEPARTMENT INDICATE  
THAT APPOINTEE WAS VICTIM OF EXTORTION AND DEATH THREAT IN  
NOVEMBER, 1975. THIS INCIDENT WAS INVESTIGATED BY THE FBI  
AND IT WAS DETERMINED THAT THE EXTORTION AND DEATH THREAT  
MATTER WAS PERPETRATED BY MENTALLY DERANGED PERSON OF THE  
BRENTWOOD ADMINISTRATIVE HOSPITAL AND NO PROSECUTION WAS  
AUTHORIZED BY THE LOS ANGELES USA'S OFFICE DUE TO SUBJECT'S  
MENTAL CONDITION.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, LOS ANGELES,  
CALIFORNIA, JUNE 30, 1976, SC [REDACTED]

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ON JUNE 30, 1976, THE RECORDS OF THE TAX LIEN DEPARTMENT  
OF THE IRS, 300 NORTH LOS ANGELES STREET, LOS ANGELES,  
CALIFORNIA, AND THE CALIFORNIA STATE TAX LIEN RECORDS OF  
THE CALIFORNIA STATE FRANCHISE TAX BORAD, 3200 WILSHIRE

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BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, WERE CAUSED TO BE REVIEWED  
BY SA [REDACTED] NO RECORD LOCATED IDENTIFIABLE WITH APPOINTEE.

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VERIFICATION OF RESIDENCE OF APPOINTEE'S WIFE AND SON

[REDACTED]:

ON JUNE 30, 1976, WHEN SA [REDACTED] CONTACTED [REDACTED]  
APPOINTEE'S SECRETARY, SHE ADVISED MRS. RAMO CURRENTLY  
RESIDES AT 1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE WITH HER HUSBAND, THE  
APPOINTEE, AND THAT BECAUSE OF THE DEATH OF THE APPOINTEE'S  
MOTHER-IN-LAW THE APPOINTEE'S SON [REDACTED] HAS  
COME FROM THE EAST COAST TO BE WITH THE FAMILY DURING THIS  
PERIOD AND IS EXPECTED TO RESIDE WITH THEM AT 1025 LOMA  
VISTA DRIVE IN BEVERLY HILLS. <sup>Bill</sup> MRS. RAMO DESCRIBED THE  
APPOINTEE'S WIFE AND SON AS INDIVIDUALS WITH OUTSTANDING  
CARL AND THAT MRS. RAMO HAS INVOLVED HERSELF IN WORTHWHILE  
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES.

LOS ANGELES WILL CONTINUE ATTEMPTS TO CONTACT THE OTHER  
INDIVIDUALS PREVIOUSLY CONTACTED IN REFERENCED REPORT  
AND ALSO WILL ATTEMPT TO CONTACT MANNY FINMAN, TRUSTEE OF  
THE CITY OF HOPE, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, TO VERIFY APPOINTEE'S  
TRUSTEESHIP FOR THIS HOSPITAL.

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Date: 7/7/76

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(Precedence)**MAG. CARD**

TO DIRECTOR (161-9883)

NEW YORK (161-4577) **CRG**CLEVELAND **JMK**SAN DIEGO **PAR**

FROM LOS ANGELES (161-2463) (P)

~~RE: [REDACTED]~~

SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: PAST.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO WASHINGTON FIELD, ET AL, DATED  
JUNE 25, 1976, AND WASHINGTON FIELD TELETYPE TO BUREAU, ET AL,  
DATED JUNE 29, 1976.

FOR INFORMATION RECEIVING OFFICES, APPOINTEE BEING  
CONSIDERED FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, POSITION NOT INDICATED.  
HE WAS BORN MAY 7, 1913, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, MARRIED TO  
VIRGINIA SMITH, HAS TWO CHILDREN: [REDACTED]  
APPOINTEE RESIDES WITH HIS WIFE AT 1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE,  
BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA.

ADDITIONAL NAMES DEVELOPED WHO HAVE HAD CLOSE ASSOCIATION  
**PROFESSIONALLY**  
WITH APPOINTEE BOTH **PROFESSIONALLY** AND SOCIALLY. THESE ARE AS  
FOLLOWS: HORACE SHEPARD, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF  
EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF TRW, CLEVELAND, OHIO, TELEPHONE NUMBER

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216-383-2262; JOHN DAVID WRIGHT, FORMER CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF TRW, CLEVELAND, TELEPHONE 216-383-2210; CHARLES R. ALLEN, VICE PRESIDENT AND CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER, TRW, CLEVELAND, TELEPHONE 216-383-2575; LLOYD HAND, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, TRW, CLEVELAND, TELEPHONE 216-383-2240; STANLEY C. PACE, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, TRW, CLEVELAND, AND LONG TIME FRIEND OF APPOINTEE, TELEPHONE 216-383-3131; JAMES E. DUNLAP, VICE PRESIDENT IN CHARGE OF HUMAN RELATIONS, TRW, CLEVELAND, TELEPHONE 216-383-2032; DAVID H. GARFIELD, PRESIDENT, MID-CITY HEIGHTS REALTY AND MANAGEMENT CORPORATION, SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA, TELEPHONE 714-273-4431 - GARFIELD ALSO ON BOARD OF DIRECTORS WITH APPOINTEE OF UNION BANK CORPORATION, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA; ALBERT V. CASEY, PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN AIRLINES, 633 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK, TELEPHONE 212-557-1231 - CASEY ALSO ON BOARD OF DIRECTORS WITH APPOINTEE OF TIMES MIRROR CORPORATION, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

ALL RECEIVING OFFICES EXPEDITE CONTACT WITH INDIVIDUALS IN YOUR DIVISION AND SOLICIT THEIR COMMENTS REGARDING APPOINTEE AND SUTEL URGENT AS BUDED IS PAST.

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TO: DIRECTOR (161-9883)

FROM: LOS ANGELES (161-2463) (P)

SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY.

RE BUREAU TELCALL TO LOS ANGELES, JULY 7, 1976.

ON JULY 7, 1976, THE BELOW LISTED INDIVIDUALS WERE CONTACTED CONCERNING APPOINTEE. EACH OF THESE INDIVIDUALS DESCRIBED APPOINTEE AS A MOST OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUAL WITH BRILLIANT MIND ~~AND~~ <sup>WITH</sup> LONG LIST OF ACADEMIC AND CIVIC ACCOMPLISHMENTS, ~~AS WELL AS~~ <sup>HAS INTER-</sup> NATIONAL REPUTATION IN ~~THE~~ <sup>WORLD.</sup> BUSINESS ~~WORLD. THEY EMPHASIZE HIS ABILITY AS A MANAGEMENT EXPERT AND ALSO COMMENT THAT HE IS HIGHLY RESPECTED AND REGARDED IN THE CIVIC AND BUSINESS COMMUNITY ~~AS INDIVIDUAL WHOSE~~ <sup>PERSONS WHOSE</sup> ADVICE ~~AND DIRECTION IS SOUGHT AFTER AND LISTENED TO.~~ <sup>IS CONSTANTLY SOUGHT.</sup> MANY OF THOSE INTERVIEWED BELIEVE THAT THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WILL MATERIALLY BENEFIT FROM APPOINTEE'S SERVICES AND IN THIS REGARD CONSIDER HIM AN OUTSTANDING NATIONAL RESOURCE. THEY INDICATED THAT RAMO HAS BEEN UNSELFISH FOR HIS SUPPORT OF CIVIC ORIENTED PROJECTS. AS AN EXAMPLE, THE BENEFITS <sup>161-2463-13</sup> ~~SEARCHED~~ FROM A BOOK HE WROTE ABOUT PLAYING TENNIS WERE GIVEN TO <sup>INDEXED</sup> A LOCAL CHARITY. EACH INDIVIDUAL COMMENTED THAT APPOINTEE <sup>SERIALIZED</sup> ~~FILED~~~~

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HAS VERY STABLE FAMILY LIFE AND WHOSE WIFE HAS IN HER OWN RIGHT BECOME WELL KNOWN IN THE COMMUNITY FOR HER CIVIC SERVICE. EACH ADVISED THAT HE HAS <sup>NO</sup>~~KNOWN~~ HABITS WHICH DETRACT FROM HIS <sup>CHARACTER OR</sup> INTEGRITY. ALL HIGHLY RECOMMEND HIM FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST FOR WHICH THE PRESIDENT OF THE U.S. MAY BE INCLINED TO RECOMMEND HIM. INDIVIDUALS CONTACTED ARE AS FOLLOWS:

FELLOW TRUSTEES OF CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (CIT), PASADENA, CALIFORNIA:

DR. HAROLD BROWN, PRESIDENT, CIT; EARL M. JORGENSEN, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF EARL M. JORGENSEN COMPANY; LEW WASSERMAN, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE MUSIC CORPORATION OF AMERICA, UNIVERSAL CITY, CALIFORNIA; R. STANTON AVERY, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, CIT, AND CHAIRMAN ~~AND~~ CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF AVERY INTERNATIONAL, 415 HUNTINGTON DRIVE, SAN MARINO.

ALL WERE ADVISED OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE PRIVACY ACT. INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

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WIFE. NONE OF THOSE INTERVIEWED WERE ABLE TO PROVIDE ANY INFO OF AN UNFAVORABLE NATURE ABOUT THE APPOINTEE OR ANY OF HIS FAMILY MEMBERS. EACH WERE ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT RECOMMENDING HIM FOR A POSITION OF TRUST IN THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. THOSE CONTACTED ARE AS FOLLOWS:

FELLOW MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE TIMES - MIRROR CORPORATION:

HARRISON CHANDLER, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND PRESIDENT OF CHANDICE SECURITIES, 550 SOUTH FLOWER STREET, LOS ANGELES.

MRS. DOROTHY CHANDLER, 455 SOUTH LORRAINE BOULEVARD, (THE DOROTHY CHANDLER PAVILION AT LOS ANGELES NAMED IN HER HONOR). SHE ADVISED SHE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE FOR MANY YEARS AS A PERSONAL FRIEND AND HE HAS JUST BEEN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THEIR PERFORMING ARTS COUNCIL AT THE DOROTHY CHANDLER MUSIC CENTER.

FELLOW MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE UNION BANK CORPORATION, 455 SOUTH FIGUEROA, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA:

WALTER O'MALLEY, OWNER OF THE LOS ANGELES DODGERS, DODGER STADIUM, CALIFORNIA.

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JOSEPH R. <sup>REUSCH</sup>RENCH, PRESIDENT OF THE PACIFIC LIGHTING CORPORATION, 810 SOUTH FLOWER, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

SAMUEL STEVE BROIDY, OWNER, ASSOCIATED FILM INDUSTRIES, 9255 SUNSET, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

HULSEY S. LOKEY, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, HOST INTERNATIONAL, PICO AT 34TH STREET, SANTA MONICA, CALIFORNIA.

DR. HENRY E. SINGLETON, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF TELEDYNE, INC., 1901 AVENUE OF THE STARS, CENTURY CITY.

GEORGE THATCHER, PRESIDENT OF UNION BANK CORPORATION, 455 SOUTH FIGUEROA.

ROBERT H. VOLK, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF UNION AMERICA, INC., 445 SOUTH FIGUEROA, LOS ANGELES.

JAME P. GILES, JR., CHAIRMAN OF THE BUSINESS FACULTY, CLAREMONT GRADUATE SCHOOL. (GILES MADE STATEMENT THAT APPOINTEE **IS** "GREAT NATIONAL RESOURCE", EXTRAORDINARY PERSON WHO IN HIS MIND IS A GENIUS).

[REDACTED] ATTORNEY, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] STATED THAT APPOINTEE IS A "CITIZEN OF THE WORLD WHO HAS DEVOTED THIS PAST YEAR TO THE GOVERNMENT

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AND WHO INDICATED TO HIM [ ] THAT HE BELIEVES THAT THE PRESIDENT OF THE U.S. CAN NOT MAKE GOOD DECISIONS WITHOUT THE ADVICE OF COMPETENT TECHNICAL MEN. [ ] SAID THAT APPOINTEE WOULD BE A GREAT HELP TO THE PRESIDENT IN EVALUATING MATTERS RELATING TO SCIENTIFIC DEVELOPMENTS.

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HARRY J. VOLK, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF UNION BANK CORPORATION, 445 SOUTH FIGUEROA, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

JOHN M. HEIDT, PRESIDENT OF THE UNION BANK, 445 SOUTH FIGUEROA, LOS ANGELES. (HE DESCRIBED APPOINTEE AS A GREAT WORKER, BRIGHT, ARTICULATE, WITH BROAD INTERESTS; ONE WHO CONTRIBUTES TO THE WORK OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, KNOWS OF NO BAD HABITS AND EMPHASIZED THAT APPOINTEE LEADS EXEMPLARY LIFE AND HE BELIEVES HIM TO BE A VERY HONORABLE PERSON. HE ALSO SAID APPOINTEE'S WIFE IS MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF <sup>UNIVERSITY OF</sup> SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND ALSO IS HIGHLY REGARDED IN THE COMMUNITY.

FELLOW MEMBERS AT TRW:

DR. EDWARD DOLL, SR., VICE PRESIDENT OF SYSTEMS GROUP, TRW, ONE SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA.

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DR. RICHARD D. DELAUER, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT  
IN CHARGE OF SYSTEMS AND ENERGY GROUP, TRW, REDONDO BEACH,  
CALIFORNIA.

DR. ROBERT BACKER, CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY  
(CIT), PROFESSOR EMERITUS, CIT AND MEMBER OF THE BOARD  
OF DIRECTORS OF TRW.

ROBERT A. BURGAN, VICE PRESIDENT AND GROUP EXECUTIVE,  
TRW, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

GEORGE EDWARD SOLOMAN, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL  
MANAGER, DEFENSE AND SPACE SYSTEMS GROUP, REDONDO BEACH.

FELLOW TRUSTEE OF CIT, PASADENA, CALIFORNIA:

DR. HARDY C. MARTEL, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE  
PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, CIT,  
PASADENA, CALIFORNIA.

MISCELLANEOUS:

EMANUEL FINEMAN, HONORARY PRESIDENT OF THE CITY OF  
HOPE, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

LOS ANGELES HAS CONTACTED IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE  
AN ADDITIONAL EIGHT INDIVIDUALS WHOSE SECRETARYS' ADVISED

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THAT THEY WOULD POSSIBLY RETURN A CALL THIS DATE BEFORE  
CLOSE OF BUSINESS. LOS ANGELES WILL REPORT RESULTS OF  
THESE CONTACTS AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS INSTANT DATE.

ALL INDIVIDUALS WERE ADVISED OF THE PROVISIONS OF  
THE PRIVACY ACT.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING AT LOS ANGELES.

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TO DIRECTOR (161-9883)  
 FROM LOS ANGELES (161-2463) (RUC)  
 SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU, JULY 8, 1976.

ON JULY 8, 1976, THE FOLLOWING THREE INDIVIDUALS OF  
 EIGHT WHO WERE CONTACTED THROUGH THEIR SECRETARIES RETURNED  
 OUR CALL AND PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CONCERNING  
 APPOINTEE. THESE INDIVIDUALS WERE CONTACTED BY SA

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F. DANIEL FROST, SENIOR PARTNER, GIBSON, DUNN AND  
 CRUTCHER, LAW FIRM, 515 SOUTH FLOWER, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.  
 FROST ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN APPOINTEE FOR PAST TEN YEARS AS  
 FELLOW BOARD MEMBER OF TIMES MIRROR CORPORATION. HE CONSIDERS  
 APPOINTEE AN EXTREMELY MULTI-TALENTED, ARTICULATE INDIVIDUAL  
 WHO IS ONE OF THE MOST HIGHLY REGARDED PROFESSIONAL MEN IN  
 THE COMMUNITY. HIS CHARACTER, REPUTATION, ASSOCIATES AND  
 LOYALTY ARE OF THE MOST EXEMPLARY KIND AND THAT HE WOULD  
 RECOMMEND HIM WITHOUT RESERVATION FOR A POSITION OF SENSITIVITY  
 AND TRUST WITH THE GOVERNMENT.

DONN B. BROWN, RETIRED CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, A. J. BAYER

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COMPANY (A STEEL FABRICATING COMPANY), 4115 TROOST AVENUE, NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA. HE ADVISED THAT APPOINTEE IS ONE OF THE MOST VERSITILE AND TALENTED INDIVIDUALS HE HAS EVER MET. HE FURTHER DESCRIBED HIM AS AN AUTHORITY IN MANY AREAS OF SCIENCE, ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT. HIS CHARACTER, REPUTATION, ASSOCIATES AND LOYALTY IS WITHOUT BLEMISH AS FAR AS HE KNOWS AND HE IS ENTHUSIASTIC IN HIS RECOMMENDATION OF RAMO FOR A HIGH POSITION OF TRUST IN THE GOVERNMENT.

VERNON O. UNDERWOOD, SR., CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, YOUNG'S MARKET COMPANY, 500 SOUTH CENTRAL, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN THE APPOINTEE AS A FELLOW MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF UNION BANK CORPORATION. UNDERWOOD SAID THAT HE WAS A GREAT ADMIRER OF APPOINTEE AND CONSIDERS HIM TO BE "ONE OF THE MOST BRILLANT MEN HE HAS EVER MET." HE ALSO DESCRIBED HIM AS A ONE HUNDRED PERCENT AMERICAN." HE INDICATED FURTHER THAT THE APPOINTEE IS AN ACCOMPLISHED VIOLINIST AND IS ONE OF THE FEW INDIVIDUALS IN THE WORLD WHO OWNS A STRADIVARIUS VIOLIN. HE KEEPS PHYSICALLY FIT, ALWAYS DRESSES IN A VERY EXCELLENT AND PROPER MANNER AND IS HIGHLY

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REGARDED BY ALL WHO KNOW HIM. UNDERWOOD ADVISED THAT HE WOULD HIGHLY RECOMMEND THE APPOINTEE FOR ANY POSITION OF TRUST IN THE GOVERNMENT AND WOULD CONSIDER THE GOVERNMENT LUCKY TO SECURE HIS KIND OF DEVOTED AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE.

INASMUCH AS THE ADDITIONAL INDIVIDUALS CONTACTED THROUGH THEIR SECRETARIES HAVE NOT RETURNED CALL, NO FURTHER ATTEMPT IS BEING MADE TO CONTACT THEM AND THAT THIS MATTER IS BEING CONSIDERED RUC.

ADMINISTRATIVE: ALL INDIVIDUALS CONTACTED WERE APPRISED OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE PRIVACY ACT AND THOSE REQUESTING CONFIDENTIALITY HAVE BEEN SO NOTED.

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FROM: LOS ANGELES (161-2463) (RUC)  
SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPES TO BUREAU, JULY 8 AND 9, 1976.

ON JULY 20, 1976, OTIS CHANDLER, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD, TIMES-MIRROR CORPORATION AND PUBLISHER, LOS ANGELES TIMES. DESIRED TO ADD HIS COMMENTS TO THOSE PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED BY OTHER MEMBERS OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TIMES-MIRROR CORPORATION, JULY 7, 1976, CONCERNING APPOINTEE. HE HAS KNOWN APPOINTEE SOME TEN YEARS OR BETTER AS AN ASTUTE, PERCEPTIVE AND ARTICULATE SCIENTIST WHO HAS BEEN MEMBER OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TIMES-MIRROR CORPORATION FOR ALL OF THIS TIME. HE HAS A HIGH REGARD FOR APPOINTEE'S INTELLIGENCE, INTEGRITY AND EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE ABILITY. HE KNOWS THE APPOINTEE TO BE OF EXCELLENT MORAL CHARACTER; TO POSSESS REPUTABLE ASSOCIATES BOTH IN THE SCIENTIFIC, CIVIC AND BUSINESS COMMUNITITES, TO HAVE MAINTAINED AND RETAINED AN ENVIABLE REPUTATION AS PHYSICIST AND ELECTRICAL ENGINEER, AND CERTAINLY TO BE AN OUTSTANDING

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AMERICAN WHOM HE IS HAPPY TO RECOMMEND FOR A POSITION OF  
TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

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REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPES TO ALL OFFICES DATED  
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BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXPEDITE INVESTI-  
GATION OF RAMO FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, POSITION NOT  
INDICATED.

ALL OFFICES CHECK INDICES AND ELSUR FILES BASED UPON  
AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING APPOINTEE AND ALL CLOSE  
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LOS ANGELES IS ALSO INSTRUCTED TO CONTACT THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICES WHEREVER APPOINTEE HAS LIVED OR WORKED AS AN ADULT TO DETERMINE IF ANY INFORMATION INDICATING FEDERAL PROSECUTIVE ACTION CONCERNING APPOINTEE.

RAMO IS CURRENTLY EMPLOYED BY TRW INCORPORATED, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA.

RAMO IS DESCRIBED AS BORN MAY 7, 1913, IN SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, AND HAS SSAN 074-01-6577.

CLOSE RELATIVES: MOTHER, CLARA TRESTMAN RAMO, (DECEASED), BORN NEAR KIEV WHITE RUSSIA, UNKNOWN DATE, 1890; FATHER, BENJAMIN NMN RAMO, (DECEASED), BREST-LITOVSK, WHITE RUSSIA, UNKNOWN DATE, 1883; SPOUSE, VIRGINIA SMITH RAMO, BORN MAY 4, 1916, RESIDES 1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA,

SON, [REDACTED] BORN [REDACTED] RESIDES [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] BROTHER, DR. LEON RABO, BORN APRIL 25,

1911, RESIDES 6790 CEDAR AVENUE, DENVER, COLORADO; SISTER,

GERTRUDE MAROVITZ, BORN JULY 24, 1917, RESIDES 5775 ENCINA ROAD,

APT. 204, GOLETA, CALIFORNIA.

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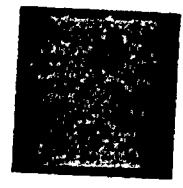
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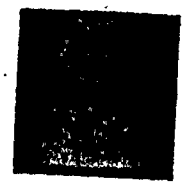
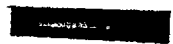
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ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION IS FORTHCOMING.

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FEDERAL PROSECUTIVE ACTION CONCERNING APPOINTEE.

RAMO IS CURRENTLY EMPLOYED BY TRW INCORPORATED,  
REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA.

RAMO IS DESCRIBED AS BORN MAY 7, 1913, IN SALT LAKE CITY,  
UTAH, AND HAS SSAN 074-01-6577.

CLOSE RELATIVES: MOTHER, CLARA TRESTMAN RAMO, (DECEASED),  
BORN NEAR VILNIUS, WHITE RUSSIA, UNKNOWN DATE, 1892; FATHER,  
BENJAMIN NNN RAMO, (DECEASED), BREST-LITOVSK, WHITE RUSSIA,  
UNKNOWN DATE, 1898; SPOUSE, VIRGINIA SMITH RAMO, BORN MAY 4,  
1916, RESIDES 1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA.

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[REDACTED] BROTHER, DR. LEON RAMO, BORN APRIL 25,

1911, RESIDES 5790 CEDAR AVENUE, DENVER, COLORADO; SISTER,

CERTRUDE MAROVIEZ, BORN JULY 24, 1917, RESIDES 5773 ENGINE ROAD,

APT. 214, GLENN, CALIFORNIA.

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<b>Standard Form 86</b> AUGUST 1964 U.S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION (F.P.M. CHAPTER 736) 50-107		<b>SECURITY INVESTIGATION DATA FOR SENSITIVE POSITION</b>		CASE SERIAL NO. (CSC use only)	
<b>INSTRUCTIONS.</b> —Prepare in triplicate, using a typewriter. Fill in all items. If the answer is "No" or "None," so state. If more space is needed for any item, continue under item 28.					
<b>1. FULL NAME</b> <i>(Initials and abridgements of full name are not acceptable. If no middle name, show "(NMN)"; if initials only, show "(no given or middle name)".</i>		(LAST NAME) <b>RAMO</b> (FIRST NAME) <b>SIMON</b> (MIDDLE NAME) <b>NMN</b> OTHER NAMES USED. (Maiden name, names by former marriages, former names changed legally or otherwise, aliases, nicknames, etc. Specify which, and show dates used.) None		<b>2. DATE OF BIRTH</b> <b>07 May 1913</b> <b>3. PLACE OF BIRTH</b> <b>Salt Lake City, UT</b> <b>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE</b> <b>5. HEIGHT</b> <b>5'10"</b> <b>WEIGHT</b> <b>158</b> <b>COLOR EYES</b> <b>BRN</b> <b>COLOR HAIR</b> <b>GRY</b>	
<b>6. <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOW(ER) <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED</b>		<b>7. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED, GIVE FULL NAME AND DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH OF SPOUSE OR FORMER SPOUSE. INCLUDE WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME. GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE OR DIVORCE. (Give same information regarding all previous marriages and divorces.)</b> <b>Virginia Smith Ramo</b> <b>DOM: 25 Jul 1937</b> <b>DOB: 04 May 1916 POB: Yonkers, NY POM: Beverly Hills, CA</b>			
<b>8. DATES AND PLACES OF RESIDENCE. (If actual places of residence differ from the mailing addresses, furnish and identify both. Begin with present and go back to January 1, 1937. Continue under item 28 on other side if necessary.)</b>					
<b>FROM</b>		<b>TO</b>		<b>NUMBER AND STREET</b>	
<b>CITY</b>		<b>STATE</b>		<b>ZIP</b>	
1966		Present		1025 Loma Vista Drive Beverly Hills LA CA 90210	
1950		1966		276 Tavistock Avenue Los Angeles CA 90049	
1946		1950		2751 Midvale Avenue Los Angeles CA 90034	
1945		1946		10636 S. Manhattan Place Los Angeles CA	
1942		1945		1 Hexam Road Schenectady NY	
1940		1942		11 North Church Street Schenectady NY	
1937		1940		606 State Street Schenectady NY	
<b>9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> U.S. CITIZEN <input type="checkbox"/> ALIEN</b>		<b><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BY BIRTH <input type="checkbox"/> NATURALIZED</b> <b>ALIEN REGISTRATION NO.</b> <b>DATE, PLACE, AND COURT</b> <b>CERT. NO.</b> <b>PETITION NO.</b> <b><input type="checkbox"/> DERIVED-PARENTS CERT. NO(S).</b> <b>REGISTRATION NO.</b> <b>NATIVE COUNTRY</b> <b>DATE AND PORT OF ENTRY</b>			
<b>10. EDUCATION. (All schools above elementary.)</b>					
<b>NAME OF SCHOOL</b>		<b>ADDRESS</b>		<b>FROM (Year)</b>	<b>TO (Year)</b>
<b>DEGREES</b>					
Oquirrh School, Salt Lake City, UT		1919		1925	Grad.
Bryant Jr. High School, Salt Lake City, UT		1925		1926	Grad.
East High School, Salt Lake City, UT		1926		1929	Grad.
Univ. of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT		1929		1933	B.S.
Calif. Inst. of Tech., Pasadena, CA		1933		1936	Ph.D.
<b>11. THIS SPACE FOR FBI USE. (See also item 29.)</b>		<b>12. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER</b> <b>074-01-6577</b> <b>13. MILITARY SERVICE (Past or present)</b> <b>None</b> <b>SERIAL NO.</b> <b>BRANCH OF SERVICE (Army, Navy, Air Force, etc.)</b> <b>FROM (Yr.)</b> <b>TO (Yr.)</b> <i>(If none, give grade or rating at separation)</i>			

14. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMED FORCES UNDER OTHER THAN HONORABLE CONDITIONS? ☐ YES ☒ NO.  
(If answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

15. EMPLOYMENT. (List ALL employment dates starting with your present employment. Give both month and year for all dates. Show ALL dates and addresses when unemployed. Give name under which employed if different from name now used.)

FROM	TO	NAME OF EMPLOYER (Firm or agency) AND SUPERVISOR (Full name, if known)	ADDRESS (Where employed)	TYPE OF WORK	REASON FOR LEAVING
Jun 1978	Pres.	TRW Inc., One Space Park,	Redondo Beach, CA	Consultant	LA DNA
1958 Jun 1978		TRW Inc., One Space Park,	Redondo Beach, CA	Director	DNA
Sep 1953	1958	Dr. George E. Solomon Ramo-Wooldridge Corp., 5500 W. El Segundo CA (Cofounder)		DNA	Merged with Thompson Prod.
Apr 1946	Sep 1953	Hughes Aircraft Co., Culver City, CA H.L. George, V.P. & Gen. Mgr.		V.P., Opns.	To found Ramo-Wooldridge Corp
Sep 1946	Pres.	Calif. Inst. of Tech., Pasadena, CA Prof. G. D. McCann		Visiting Professor & Trustee	DNA
Aug 1940	Apr 1946	Union College, Schenectady, NY Prof. H. E. Bibber		Lecturer	To join HAC in CA
Aug 1936	Apr 1946	Gen. Elec. Co., Schenectady, NY H. A. Winne, V. P. & R. C. Muir, V. P.		Various Positions	To join HAC in CA
Jun 1934	Jun 1936	Calif. Inst. of Tech., Pasadena, CA Prof. R. W. Sorensen		Teaching Fellow	To join G.E.

WFO check FTC and SEC on appointee.

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16. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DISCHARGED (FIRED) FROM EMPLOYMENT FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

17. HAVE YOU EVER RESIGNED (QUIT) AFTER BEING INFORMED THAT YOUR EMPLOYER INTENDED TO DISCHARGE (FIRE) YOU FOR ANY REASON? ☐ YES ☒ NO.  
(If your answer to 16 or 17 above is "Yes" give details in item 28. Show the name and address of employer, approximate date, and reasons in each case. This information should agree with the statements made in item 15—EMPLOYMENT.)

18. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED, TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, HELD FOR INVESTIGATION OR QUESTIONING, OR CHARGED BY ANY LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY? (You may omit: (1) Traffic violations for which you paid a fine of \$30 or less; and (2) anything that happened before your 16th birthday. All other incidents must be included, even though they were dismissed or you merely forfeited collateral.) ☐ YES ☒ NO.

IF YOUR ANSWER IS "YES," GIVE FULL DETAILS BELOW:

DATE	CHARGE	PLACE	LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY	ACTION TAKEN
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(SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED AGENCY OFFICIAL)

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19. HAVE YOU EVER HAD A NERVOUS BREAKDOWN OR HAVE YOU EVER HAD MEDICAL TREATMENT FOR A MENTAL CONDITION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.  
(If your answer is "Yes," give details in item 28.)

20. FOREIGN COUNTRIES VISITED (SINCE 1930). (Exclusive of military service.)

COUNTRY	DATE LEFT U.S.A.	DATE RETURNED U.S.A.	PURPOSE
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21. ARE YOU NOW, OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN, A MEMBER OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U.S.A., OR ANY COMMUNIST OR FASCIST ORGANIZATION? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

22. ARE YOU NOW OR HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A MEMBER OF ANY FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC ORGANIZATION, ASSOCIATION, MOVEMENT, GROUP, OR COMBINATION OF PERSONS WHICH IS TOTALITARIAN, FASCIST, COMMUNIST, OR SUBVERSIVE, OR WHICH HAS ADOPTED, OR SHOWS, A POLICY OF ADVOCATING OR APPROVING THE COMMISSION OF ACTS OF FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO DENY OTHER PERSONS THEIR RIGHTS UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, OR WHICH SEEKS TO ALTER THE FORM OF GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES BY UNCONSTITUTIONAL MEANS? ☐ YES ☒ NO.

23. IF YOUR ANSWER TO QUESTION 21 OR 22 ABOVE IS "YES," STATE THE NAMES OF ALL SUCH ORGANIZATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, MOVEMENTS, GROUPS, OR COMBINATIONS OF PERSONS AND DATES OF MEMBERSHIP. IN ITEM 28 OR ON A SEPARATE SHEET TO BE ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF THIS FORM, GIVE COMPLETE DETAILS OF YOUR ACTIVITIES THEREIN AND MAKE ANY EXPLANATION YOU DESIRE REGARDING YOUR MEMBERSHIP OR ACTIVITIES.

NAME IN FULL	ADDRESS	FROM	TO	OFFICE HELD
N/A				

24. MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. (List all organizations in which you are now a member or have been a member, except those which show religious or political affiliations.) (If none, so state.)

NAME IN FULL	ADDRESS	TYPE	FROM	TO	OFFICE HELD
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25. RELATIVES. (Parents, spouse, divorced spouse, children, brothers, and sisters, living or dead. Name of spouse should include maiden name and any other names by previous marriage. If person is dead, state "dead" after relationship and furnish information for other columns as of time of death.)

RELATION	NAME IN FULL	YEAR OF BIRTH	ADDRESS	COUNTRY OF BIRTH	PRESENT CITIZENSHIP
Mother	Clara Trestman Ramo	Unk 1890	X	Near-Kiev	U.S.A.
Deceased				White Russia	
Father	Benjamin NMN Ramo	Unk 1883	X	Brest-Litovsk	U.S.A.
Deceased				White Russia	
Spouse	(Virginia Smith Ramo)	4 May 1916	1025 Loma Vista Dr. LA Beverly Hills, CA	Yonkers, NY	U.S.A.
Son					
Son					
Brother	Dr. Leon Ramo	25 Apr 1911	6790 Cedar Ave	U.S.A.	U.S.A.
			Denver, CO		
Sister	Gertrude Marovitz	24 July 1917	5773 Encina Rd.	U.S.A.	U.S.A.
			LA Apt. 204, Goleta, CA		

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26a. REFERENCES. (Name three persons, not relatives or employers, who are aware of your qualifications and fitness.)

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26b. CLOSE PERSONAL ASSOCIATES. (Name three persons, such as friends, schoolmates or colleagues, who know you well.)

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27. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, HAVE YOU EVER BEEN THE SUBJECT OF A FULL FIELD OR BACKGROUND PERSONAL INVESTIGATION BY ANY AGENCY OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT? ☒ YES ☐ NO. (If your answer is "Yes," show in item 28, (1) the name of the investigating agency (2) the approximate date of investigation, and (3) the level of security clearance granted, if known.)

28. SPACE FOR CONTINUING ANSWERS TO OTHER QUESTIONS. (Show item numbers to which answers apply. Attach a separate sheet if there is not enough space here.)

BI conducted by DIS on 20 Dec 83.

29. REPORT OF INFORMATION DEVELOPED. (This space reserved for FBI use.)

DATE:

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Before signing this form check back over it to make sure you have answered all questions fully and correctly.

CERTIFICATION

I CERTIFY that the statements made by me on this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

False statement on this form  
is punishable by law.

June 8, 1984

(DATE)

*Senior Rames*

(SIGNATURE—Sign original and first carbon copy)

INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED BY AGENCY

INSTRUCTIONS TO AGENCY: See Federal Personnel Manual Chapter 736 and FPM Supplement 296-31, Appendix A, for details on when this form is required and how it is used. If this is a request for investigation before appointment, insert "APPL" in the space for Date of Appointment and show information about the proposed appointment in the other spaces for appointment data. The original and the first carbon copy should be signed by the applicant or appointee. Submit the original and the unsigned carbon copy of the form, Standard Form 87 (Fingerprint Chart), and any investigative information about the person received on voucher forms or otherwise, to the United States Civil Service Commission, Bureau of Personnel Investigations, Washington, D.C., 20415. If this is a request for full field security investigation, submit these forms to the attention of the Division of Reimbursable Investigations; if this is a request for preappointment national agency checks, submit these forms to the attention of the Control Section.

RETAIN THE CARBON COPY OF STANDARD FORM 86 (SIGNED BY THE APPLICANT OR APPOINTEE) FOR YOUR FILES

DATE OF APPOINTMENT	TYPE OF APPOINTMENT <input type="checkbox"/> EXCEPTED <input type="checkbox"/> COMPETITIVE. (Include indefinite and temporary types of competitive appointments.)	CIVIL SERVICE REGULATION NUMBER OR OTHER APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY	TITLE OF POSITION AND GRADE OR SALARY
DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY	DUTY STATION	SEND RESULTS OF PREAPPOINTMENT CHECK TO:	
THIS IS A SENSITIVE POSITION		(SIGNATURE AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZING AGENCY OFFICIAL)	

SUPPLEMENT TO SF-86  
(Attach additional pages if necessary)

1. Please furnish the names and addresses of all corporations, firms or other business enterprises, partnerships, nonprofit organizations, and educational or other institutions with which you are presently associated or have been associated during the past five years either as officer, director, trustee, sole owner, partner or stockholder with controlling interest.

See copy of Memo dated June 6, 1984, to [redacted] (attached)

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2. Have you ever been a candidate for Federal, state or local elected office, or a treasurer or other officer of a political committee? Were there any complaints lodged with the Federal Election Commission or state or local election authorities against you or your political committee? If so, please explain.

No. See copy of Memo dated June 6, 1984, to [redacted] (attached)

3. Do you maintain any residence other than your permanent residence; e.g., vacation home? If so, please furnish address.

No

4. Have you ever been disciplined or cited for a breach of ethics or unprofessional conduct by, or been the subject of a complaint to, any court, administrative agency, professional association, disciplinary committee, or other professional group? If so, please give full details.

No. See copy of Memo dated June 6, 1984, to [redacted] (attached)

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5. To your knowledge have your activities or those of any of your business enterprises, or associates in those enterprises, ever been the subject of criminal investigation, or a civil enforcement investigation or proceeding? If so, please give full details.

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[Also, I was a member of the board of directors of Geotech, Inc. (about 1968-72). Its chief executive later was sued by the SEC and he pleaded guilty to a perjury charge in connection with that suit. I was not named by the SEC in the suit. I know of no other case where an associate in any company or on any board was tried in any criminal or civil suit.]

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6. Have you every been a party in any civil court action? If so, please give full details.

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I understand that the information being provided on this supplement to the SF-86 is to be considered part of the original SF-86 dated June 8, 1984 and a false statement on this form is punishable by law.

Signed Simon Ramo  
Simon Ramo

SIMON RAMO - SECURITY INVESTIGATION DATA FOR NATIONAL SCIENCE BOARD

DOB: 13-05-07

Question 26a. REFERENCES

<u>Name in Full</u>	<u>Home Address</u>	<u>Business Address</u>	<u>Years Known</u>
Dr. John S. Foster	2737 Sinton Place Pepper Pike, OH 44124 (216) 831-1389	TRW Inc. 23555 Euclid Avenue Cleveland, OH 44117 (216) 383-3053	CV over 30 yrs.
Gen. Bernard A. Schriever	4501 Dester Street Washington, D.D. 20007 (202) 337-6155	1899 L St., N.W. Suite 405 Washington, D.C. 20036 (202) 833-2390	WFO over 30 yrs.
Dr. H. Guyford Stever	1528 33 Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20007 (202) 338-5537	same 603 466-3841 Randal Pl, N.W.	over 30 yrs.

26b. CLOSE PERSONAL ASSOCIATES

Dr. Ruben F. Mettler	5200 Three Village Dr. Lyndhurst, OH 44124 (216) 461-5457	TRW Inc. 23555 Euclid Ave. Cleveland, OH 44117 (216) 383-3070	CV 34 years
Stanley C. Pace	2750 Chesterton Road Shaker Heights, OH 44122 (216) 932-8787	TRW Inc. 23555 Euclid Ave. Cleveland, OH 44117 (216) 383-3131	over 30 yrs.
( Dr. George S. Solomon )	535 Esplanade Unit 403 Redondo Beach, CA 90277 (213) 540-7097	TRW Inc. One Space Park Redondo Beach, CA 90278 (213) 535-1474	LA over 30 yrs.

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*Simon Ramo*

BOARD MEMBERSHIP OF BUSINESS, EDUCATIONAL  
OR PHILANTHROPIC ORGANIZATIONS

<u>Organization Name and Address</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Dates</u>
TRW Inc. One Space Park Redondo Beach, CA 90278	Director & Consultant	3/30/54 to Present 6/01/78 to Present
The TRW-Fujitsu Company One Space Park Redondo Beach, CA 90278	Board Chairman	5/08/80 to 3/83
Atlantic Richfield Company 515 S. Flower Street Los Angeles, CA 90271	Director & Consultant	1/23/84 to present 2/01/80 to present
Union Bank 445 S. Figueroa Street Los Angeles, CA 90017	Director	1/21/65 to present
Union Bancorp 445 S. Figueroa Street Los Angeles, CA 90017	Director	3/04/68 to present
Times Mirror Company Times Mirror Square Los Angeles, CA 90053	Director	5/22/68 to 5/07/83
W. M. Keck Foundation 555 South Flower Street Suite 4750 Los Angeles, CA 90071	Director	5/04/83 to present
California Institute of Technology Pasadena, CA 91125	Trustee	6/12/64 to present
Los Angeles World Affairs Council 900 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 230 Los Angeles, CA 90017	Director	1/01/73 to present

Board Memberships  
of Simon Ramo

Music Center Foundation  
135 North Grand Avenue  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Director

LA  
2/02/77 to present

Los Angeles Philharmonic  
Association  
135 North Grand Avenue  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Director

1/09/81 to present

Performing Arts Council of  
the Music Center of  
Los Angeles County  
135 North Grand Avenue  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Director

5/24/76 to 1/25/81

AUTHORITY TO RELEASE INFORMATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I hereby authorize any Special Agent or other authorized representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation bearing this release, or copy thereof, within one year of its date, to obtain any information in your files pertaining to my educational records including, but not limited to, academic, achievement, attendance, athletic, personal history, and disciplinary records; employment records; and credit records. I hereby direct you to release such information upon request of the bearer. This release is executed with full knowledge and understanding that the information is for the official use of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Consent is granted for the FBI to furnish such information, as is described above, to third parties in the course of fulfilling its official responsibilities. I hereby release you, as the custodian of such records, and any school, college, university, or other educational institution, credit bureau or consumer reporting agency, including its officers, employees, or related personnel, both individually and collectively, from any and all liability for damages of whatever kind, which may at any time result to me, my heirs, family or associates because of compliance with this authorization and request to release information, or any attempt to comply with it. Should there be any questions as to the validity of this release, you may contact me as indicated below:

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Simon Ramo*  
Signature

Full Name: Simon Ramo

Type or Print Name

Parent/Guardian (if required): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: June 8, 1984

Current Address: One Space Park

Redondo Beach, CA 90278

Telephone Number: (213) 536-1005



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DR GUYFARD H. STENER MAY BE CONTACTED AT TRW, DR. RUBEN  
METLER'S OFFICE LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (213) 536-3813 OR  
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DR GUYFORD H. STENER MAY BE CONTACTED AT TRV, DR. RICHARD METLER'S OFFICE LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA (213) 535-3813 OR (213) 535-1114 THE MARRIOTT HOTEL (213) 641-5-42 AFTER 4:00 P.M. GENERAL BERNARD A. SCHRIENER MAY BE CONTACTED AT

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RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES DATED JULY 6, 1984.

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TRW INCORPORATED, ONE SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH,

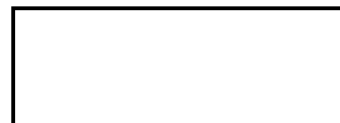
CALIFORNIA:

ON JULY 12, 1984, GEORGE HARTER, CORPORATE VICE  
PRESIDENT AND ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER OF THE ELECTRONICS  
AND DEFENSE SECTOR, TRW INCORPORATED, REDONDO BEACH, WAS  
PERSONALLY CONTACTED. HARTER ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN  
OF SIMON RAMO FOR APPROXIMATELY 27 YEARS AND HAS BEEN  
ASSOCIATED WITH HIM CLOSELY ON A PROFESSIONAL BASIS FOR  
20 YEARS. HE NOTED THAT RAMO WAS ONE OF THE FOUNDING  
MEMBERS OF TRW IN THE EARLY 1950'S AND ALTHOUGH RETIRING

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IN 1978, IS STILL A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND IS HEAVILY INVOLVED IN CONSULTING ACTIVITIES WITH TRW. HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE A VERY BRILLIANT INDIVIDUAL WHO IS A "GOOD IDEA MAN". RAMO'S STRENGTHS ARE AS A GOOD PROVIDER OF LEADERSHIP AND ONE WHO POSSESSES A GOOD TECHNICAL BACKGROUND. HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO HAVE AN IMPECCABLE LOYALTY TOWARD THE UNITED STATES AND KNOWS NOTHING IN HIS BACKGROUND OF A DEROGATORY NATURE.

ALTHOUGH HARTER KNOWS RAMO ONLY ON IN A BUSINESS SENSE, HE KNOWS OF THE ASSOCIATES OF RAMO AND CONSIDERS THEM TO ALL BE OF A HIGH LEVEL BEING INVOLVED IN THE ARTS, POLITICS, AND EDUCATION. HE DOES NOT KNOW OF RAMO EVER USING ANY NARCOTICS AND ONLY BELIEVES THAT HE DRINKS TO SLIGHT MODERATION. HARTER KNOWS OF NO BAD HABITS THAT RAMO HAS AND WOULD RECOMMEND HIM WITHOUT HESITATION FOR A CONFIDENTIAL POSITION.

DR. ROBERT BROMBERG WAS CONTACTED AT TRW ON JULY 12, 1984. DR. BROMBERG RETIRED FROM TRW IN FEBRUARY, 1982, HOWEVER, IS NOW CONSULTING TO TRW ONE OR TWO DAYS

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A WEEK. WHEN HE RETIRED, HE WAS VICE PRESIDENT OF RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING. HE ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1954 WHEN DR. BROMBERG WAS AT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES.

HE ADVISED THAT RAMO HAS A REPUTATION OF BEING A VERY BRIGHT, INNOVATIVE PERSON WHO IS AN INTELLECTUAL AND EXCEEDINGLY HONEST. RAMO HAS VERY HIGH INTEGRITY AND HAS FOSTERED THIS ATTITUDE WITHIN TRW. RAMO HAS CONTRIBUTED MUCH TO THE AEROSPACE INDUSTRY AND HAS PUSHED THE STANDARDS OF THE INDUSTRY UP BECAUSE OF HIS DEDICATION AND KNOWLEDGE IN THE FIELD. RAMO IS VIEWED AS A GOOD SPOKESMAN FOR THE INDUSTRY IN THE APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGY.

HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE A VERY GOOD, LOYAL CITIZEN. ALTHOUGH NOT BEING ACQUAINTED WITH THE ASSOCIATES OF RAMO, DR. BROMBERG ADVISED THAT RAMO'S ASSOCIATES ARE ALL GOOD UPSTANDING PEOPLE. HE NOTED THAT RAMO IS HEAVILY INVOLVED IN CHARITABLE WORK, MUSIC AND THE ARTS. ALSO, RAMO IS ON A NUMBER OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR

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LARGE COMPANIES IN THE UNITED STATES.

DR. BROMBERG KNOWS OF NO PROBLEMS WITH ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS OR ANY OTHER DEROGATORY INFORMATION CONCERNING RAMO AND WOULD RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF CONFIDENCE AND TRUST SUBJECT TO ANY PHYSICAL LIMITATIONS DUE TO HIS AGE ALTHOUGH DR. BROMBERG IS NOT AWARE OF ANY HEALTH PROBLEMS.

CONNIE D. CRAWFORD, DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY AND CIVIC RELATIONS, ELECTRONICS AND DEFENSE SECTOR, TRW INCORPORATED, WAS CONTACTED ON JULY 12, 1984. SHE ADVISED THAT SHE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1973 WHEN CRAWFORD JOINED TRW AND FROM 1980 TO 1982 WORKED VERY CLOSELY WITH HIM IN CONNECTION WITH PROJECTS THAT RAMO WAS VITALLY INTERESTED IN. SHE HAS HAD SOME SOCIAL INTERRELATIONS WITH HIM, HOWEVER, MOST OF HER CONTACT HAS BEEN IN A WORK ATMOSPHERE. THEY HAVE A NUMBER OF MUTUAL SOCIAL FRIENDS AND SHE ADVISED THAT ALL OF HIS FRIENDS ARE OF HIGH CALIBER, HIGH RANKING PEOPLE.

RAMO HAS AN EXCELLENT REPUTATION AND IS CONSIDERED

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ALMOST A GENIUS. HE IS VERY ETHICAL, A STRONG WILLED, OUTSPOKEN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS CONSIDERED A COMPLETE SCIENTIST AND A FAIRLY GOOD ENTREPRENEUR. HE HAS MAINTAINED BOTH HIS SCIENTIFIC CREDENTIALS AND HIS INDUSTRIAL STATEMAN'S CREDENTIALS.

MRS. CRAWFORD EXPRESSED NO REASON TO QUESTION THE LOYALTY OF SIMON RAMO. #E KNOWS NOTHING DEROGATORY CONCERNING HIM INCLUDING USE OF NARCOTICS OR ABUSE OF ALCOHOL AND NOTED THAT HE WAS EXTREMELY DEVOTED TO HIS WIFE. SHE WOULD HAVE NO HESITATION IN RECOMMENDING HIM FOR A SENSITIVE POSITION.

DR. ROBERT BURNETTE, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER OF THE DEFENSE SYSTEMS GROUP, TRW, WAS CONTACTED ON JULY 13, 1984. HE ADVISED THAT HE FIRST BECAME ACQUAINTED WITH SIMON RAMO ABOUT 1956 WHEN THE COMPANY WAS STILL KNOWN AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE. AT THAT TIME, RAMO WAS THE CHIEF RECRUITER FOR THE COMPANY AND BURNETTE MET HIM WHILE BURNETTE WAS A PROFESSOR AT PURDUE UNIVERSITY.

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BURNETTE ADVISED THAT THE COMPANY WHICH STARTED OUT AS RAMO - WOLDRIDGE HAS EXPANDED AND GROWN DUE TO THE LEADERSHIP OF RAMO UNTIL IT IS NOW KNOWN AS TRW AND IS A LEADER IN IT'S FIELD. IT IS NOTED THAT RAMO RETIRED FROM TRW IN 1978, HOWEVER, IS STILL ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN THE ACTIVITY OF TRW AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND ON A CONSULTING BASIS. HE ADVISED THAT RAMO HAS AN OUTSTANDING REPUTATION IS CONSIDERED A LOYAL INDIVIDUAL. BURNETTE SEES RAMO ON A SOCIAL BASIS AS WELL AS A WORK BASIS ON OCCASION AND NOTED THAT ALL OF THE FRIENDS OF RAMO ARE "UPPER CRUST." BURNETTE SAID THAT RAMO IS CONSIDERED A BRILLIANT SCIENTIST AND INVENTOR WHO IS WELL READ IN MANY AREAS INCLUDING INTERNATIONAL MATTERS, POLITICS, AND EVEN TENNIS TO THE POINT THAT HE HAS WRITTEN A BOOK ON TENNIS. RAMO IS AN INTELLECTUAL LEADER AND A GREAT ENVISIONARY WHO KNOWS HIS LIMITATIONS AND IS ABLE TO GET TO THE HEART OF MATTERS VERY QUICKLY. HE IS A VERY ARTICULATE, BROAD MINDED INDIVIDUAL WHO IS OPIN-

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IONATED INCLUDING A STAND ON ARMS LIMITATIONS. RAMO MIXES WELL WITH OTHER INDIVIDUALS AND IS VERY GREGARIOUS AND CHARITABLE, DONATING MUCH TO VARIOUS CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDING AN AUDITORIUM WHICH IS NOW NAMED AFTER HIM AT THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.

BURNETTE STATED HE KNEW OF NO ABUSES OF ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS BY RAMO AND WOULD HAVE NO PROBLEM WHATSOEVER IN RECOMMENDING RAMO FOR A POSITION OF SENSITIVITY.

CHARLES W. STEPHENS, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER OF TRW' 303:TRONICS SYSTEMS GROUP, WAS CONTACTED ON JULY 13, 1984. STEPHENS ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE COMING TO THE COMPANY APPROXIMATELY 27 YEARS AGO, AND HE HAS WORKED VERY CLOSELY WITH RAMO FOR THE LAST SEVEN OR EIGHT YEARS. HE HAS FOUND RAMO TO BE A VERY HARDWORKING, COMPLETELY HONEST INDIVIDUAL WHO IS STILL ACTIVE AND INVOLVED FOR HIS AGE WHICH IS AROUND 70. RAMO HAS A GOOD REPUTATION AND STEPHENS IS CERTAIN THAT RAMO IS A DEDICATED, PATRIOTIC, INVOLVED PERSON.

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RAMO NOW HAS A GOOD REPUTATION IN HIS SENIOR STATEMAN'S ROLE AND RAMO IS STILL INTERESTED AND INVOLVED IN KEY, TECHNOLOGICAL MATTERS. RAMO IS RESPECTED FOR HIS TECHNOLOGICAL BRILLIANCE AND ACHIEVEMENTS WITH TRW AND THE NATIONS STRATEGIC MILITARY SYSTEMS.

AS FOR RAMO'S ASSOCIATES, THEY ARE ALL VERY "SENIOR PEOPLE IN THE BUSINESS AND ALSO PROMINENT INDIVIDUALS" IN THE WASHINGTON, D.C. AND LOS ANGELES AREA. STEPHENS RELATED THAT HE HAD NEVER SEEN ANY EVIDENCE OF ANY NARCOTICS USE OR ABUSE OF ALCOHOL BY RAMO AND KNEW OF NO REASON NOT TO RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF CONFIDENCE AND TRUST.

DAN SCALLY, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL PROGRAMS, TRW INCORPORATED, WAS PERSONALLY CONTACTED ON JULY 13, 1984.

SCALLY ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1957 AND IN THE MID 1960's, WORKED VERY CLOSELY WITH HIM HAVING TO GIVE HIM ANALYSIS BRIEFINGS ON A REGULAR BASIS. HE DESCRIBED RAMO AS A MAN OF ABSOLUTE

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HONESTY AND INTEGRITY AND ONE WHO IS CONSIDERED A "VISIONARY" IN THE AEROSPACE FIELD. RAMO IS WELL KNOWN, HIGHLY RESPECTED INDIVIDUAL IN EDUCATION AND SCIENCE.

SCALLY CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE ABSOLUTELY LOYAL IN EVERY RESPECT AND AN INDIVIDUAL WHO ASSOCIATES ONLY WITH THE FINEST OF PEOPLE. HE NOTED THAT THE CLOSE FRIENDS OF RAMO SEEM TO BE HIGH LEVEL PEOPLE IN THE LOCAL COMMUNITY AS WELL AS THE EDUCATION COMMUNITY AND THOSE IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

HE CONTINUED THAT RAMO APPEARS TO BE A VERY TEMPERANT PERSON IN HIS DEMEANOR AND HE KNOWS OF NO PROBLEMS WITH ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS. IN FACT, SCALLY ADVISED THAT HE KNEW OF NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION CONCERNING RAMO WHATSOEVER AND WOULD RECOMMEND HIM WITHOUT HESITATION FOR A POSITION OF SENSITIVITY AND TRUST.

RESIDENCE:

1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA:

ON JULY 11, 1984, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED SPECIAL AGENT (SA) [REDACTED] THAT

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SHE IS ACQUAINTED WITH THE RAMO FAMILY WHO RESIDES NEXT DOOR. DR. AND MRS. RAMO ARE OUTSTANDING MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY AND ARE WONDERFUL NEIGHBORS. THE APPOINTEE AND HIS WIFE ARE LEADERS IN CIVIC FUNCTIONS AND DR. RAMO HAS THE REPUTATION AS BEING ONE OF THE LEADING SCIENTISTS IN THE COUNTRY.

[REDACTED] SAID SHE WAS NOT AWARE OF ANYTHING OF AN UNFAVORABLE NATURE REGARDING THE APPOINTEE OR ANY MEMBER OF HIS FAMILY. THE RAMOS - ARE VERY CHARMING AND GRACIOUS PEOPLE. SHE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE TO A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. DR. AND MRS. RAMO ARE LOYAL, LAW-ABIDING CITIZENS AND PERSONS OF THE HIGHEST CHARACTER, REPUTATION, LOYALTY AND ASSOCIATES.

ON JULY 11, 1984, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THAT HER FAMILY AND THE RAMO FAMILY HAVE BEEN FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS FOR MANY YEARS. DR. RAMO IS A WELL-KNOWN SCIENTIST AND AN EXECUTIVE WITH TRW, INC., OF WHICH HE IS A CO-FOUNDER. BOTH HE AND MRS.

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RAMO ARE VERY ACTIVE IN CIVIC AFFAIRS AND THEY HAVE REPUTATIONS AS LEADING COMMUNITY LEADERS.

THE APPOINTEE IS A PERSON OF THE HIGHEST CHARACTER, REPUTATION, LOYALTY AND ASSOCIATES. DR. AND MRS. RAMO ARE WONDERFUL PEOPLE AND THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NOTHING UNFAVORABLE IN THEIR BACKGROUNDS. [REDACTED] HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE TO A HIGH GOVERNMENT POST.

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ON JULY 13, 1984, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THAT SHE IS ACQUAINTED WITH DR. RAMO AS NEIGHBORS, BUT DOES NOT HAVE ANY SOCIAL CONTACT WITH THE APPOINTEE OR HIS WIFE. THE RAMO FAMILY ARE FINE CITIZENS AND GOOD MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY. SHE WAS NOT AWARE OF ANYTHING OF AN UNFAVORABLE NATURE REGARDING THE APPOINTEE OR ANY MEMBER OF HIS FAMILY. #E KNEW OF NO REASON TO QUESTION HIS LOYALTY TO THE U.S. AND KNEW OF NO REASON WHY SHE COULD NOT RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF TRUST WITH THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

REFERENCE:

DR. GEORGE S. SOLOMON, 5RW INCORPORATED, SNE SPACE

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PARK, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA:

ON JULY 12, 1984, DR. SOLOMON, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE ELECTRONICS AND DEFENSE SECTOR OF TRW, WAS PERSONALLY CONTACTED AND HE ADVISED THE FOLLOWING:

THE APPLICANT STARTED A COMPANY IN THE EARLY 1950'S KNOWN AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE, WHICH LATER BECAME THOMPSON, RAMO, WOOLDRIDGE, AND LATER BECAME KNOWN TRW. DR. SOLOMON HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1953 WHEN THE COMPANY WAS KNOWN AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE AND WHEN DR. SOLOMON JOINED THE FIRM. SINCE THEN, HE HAS CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH RAMO WHO RETIRED AS VICE-CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TRW IN 1978. RAMO IS STILL ACTIVE WITH TRW AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

AS RAMO WAS A FOUNDER OF TRW AND ALSO OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF ENGINEERS, HE IS CONSIDERED AN "ENCYCLOPEDIA" IN THE AEROSPACE FIELD. RAMO IS A VERY WARM, OUTGOING PERSON WHO IS CONSIDERED A BRILLIANT PERSON AND VERY CAPABLE. RAMO HAS A BROAD RANGE OF INTERESTS INCLUDING PLAYING THE VIOLIN, AND HE IS

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VERY ACTIVE IN THE ARTS AND MUSIC. DR. SOLOMON CONSIDERS RAMO TO HAVE AN EXCELLENT REPUTATION BOTH AS A PERSON AND AS AN INDIVIDUAL IN THE AEROSPACE FIELD. ACCORDING TO DR. SOLOMON, BOTH THE APPOINTEE AND HIS WIFE "TRAVEL IN GOOD CIRCLES", SELECTING ONLY THE HIGHEST CALIBER OF FRIENDS.

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UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS OFFICE:

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SIMON RAMO, SPECIAL INQUIRY, BUDED: JULY 19, 1984,

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TRW INCORPORATED, ONE SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH,  
 CALIFORNIA:

ON JULY 12, 1984, GEORGE HARTER, CORPORATE VICE  
 PRESIDENT AND ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER OF THE ELECTRONICS  
 AND DEFENSE SECTOR, TRW INCORPORATED, REDONDO BEACH, WAS  
 PERSONALLY CONTACTED. HARTER ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN  
 OF SIMON RAMO FOR APPROXIMATELY 27 YEARS AND HAS BEEN  
 ASSOCIATED WITH HIM CLOSELY ON A PROFESSIONAL BASIS FOR  
 20 YEARS. HE NOTED THAT RAMO WAS ONE OF THE FOUNDING  
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IN 1978, IS STILL A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND IS HEAVILY INVOLVED IN CONSULTING ACTIVITIES WITH TRW. HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE A VERY BRILLIANT INDIVIDUAL WHO IS A "GOOD IDEA MAN". RAMO'S STRENGTHS ARE AS A GOOD PROVIDER OF LEADERSHIP AND ONE WHO POSSESSES A GOOD TECHNICAL BACKGROUND. HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO HAVE AN IMPECCABLE LOYALTY TOWARD THE UNITED STATES AND KNOWS NOTHING IN HIS BACKGROUND OF A DEROGATORY NATURE.

ALTHOUGH HARTER KNOWS RAMO ONLY ON IN A BUSINESS SENSE, HE KNOWS OF THE ASSOCIATES OF RAMO AND CONSIDERS THEM TO ALL BE OF A HIGH LEVEL BEING INVOLVED IN THE ARTS, POLITICS, AND EDUCATION. HE DOES NOT KNOW OF RAMO EVER USING ANY NARCOTICS AND ONLY BELIEVES THAT HE DRINKS TO SLIGHT MODERATION. HARTER KNOWS OF NO BAD HABITS THAT RAMO HAS AND WOULD RECOMMEND HIM WITHOUT HESITATION FOR A CONFIDENTIAL POSITION.

DR. ROBERT BROMBERG WAS CONTACTED AT TRW ON JULY 12, 1984. DR. BROMBERG RETIRED FROM TRW IN FEBRUARY, 1982, HOWEVER, IS NOW CONSULTING TO TRW ONE OR TWO DAYS

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A WEEK. WHEN HE RETIRED, HE WAS VICE PRESIDENT OF RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING. HE ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1954 WHEN DR. BROMBERG WAS AT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES.

HE ADVISED THAT RAMO HAS A REPUTATION OF BEING A VERY BRIGHT, INNOVATIVE PERSON WHO IS AN INTELLECTUAL AND EXCEEDINGLY HONEST. RAMO HAS VERY HIGH INTEGRITY AND HAS FOSTERED THIS ATTITUDE WITHIN TRW. RAMO HAS CONTRIBUTED MUCH TO THE AEROSPACE INDUSTRY AND HAS PUSHED THE STANDARDS OF THE INDUSTRY UP BECAUSE OF HIS DEDICATION AND KNOWLEDGE IN THE FIELD. RAMO IS VIEWED AS A GOOD SPOKESMAN FOR THE INDUSTRY IN THE APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGY.

HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE A VERY GOOD, LOYAL CITIZEN. ALTHOUGH NOT BEING ACQUAINTED WITH THE ASSOCIATES OF RAMO, DR. BROMBERG ADVISED THAT RAMO'S ASSOCIATES ARE ALL GOOD UPSTANDING PEOPLE. HE NOTED THAT RAMO IS HEAVILY INVOLVED IN CHARITABLE WORK, MUSIC AND THE ARTS. ALSO, RAMO IS ON A NUMBER OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR

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LARGE COMPANIES IN THE UNITED STATES.

DR. BROMBERG KNOWS OF NO PROBLEMS WITH ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS OR ANY OTHER DEROGATORY INFORMATION CONCERNING RAMO AND WOULD RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF CONFIDENCE AND TRUST SUBJECT TO ANY PHYSICAL LIMITATIONS DUE TO HIS AGE ALTHOUGH DR. BROMBERG IS NOT AWARE OF ANY HEALTH PROBLEMS.

CONNIE D. CRAWFORD, DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY AND CIVIC RELATIONS, ELECTRONICS AND DEFENSE SECTOR, TRW INCORPORATED, WAS CONTACTED ON JULY 12, 1984. SHE ADVISED THAT SHE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1973 WHEN CRAWFORD JOINED TRW AND FROM 1980 TO 1982 WORKED VERY CLOSELY WITH HIM IN CONNECTION WITH PROJECTS THAT RAMO WAS VITALLY INTERESTED IN. SHE HAS HAD SOME SOCIAL INTERRELATIONS WITH HIM, HOWEVER, MOST OF HER CONTACT HAS BEEN IN A WORK ATMOSPHERE. THEY HAVE A NUMBER OF MUTUAL SOCIAL FRIENDS AND SHE ADVISED THAT ALL OF HIS FRIENDS ARE OF HIGH CALIBER, HIGH RANKING PEOPLE.

RAMO HAS AN EXCELLENT REPUTATION AND IS CONSIDERED

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ALMOST A GENIUS. HE IS VERY ETHICAL, A STRONG WILLED, OUTSPOKEN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS CONSIDERED A COMPLETE SCIENTIST AND A FAIRLY GOOD ENTREPRENEUR. HE HAS MAINTAINED BOTH HIS SCIENTIFIC CREDENTIALS AND HIS INDUSTRIAL STATEMAN'S CREDENTIALS.

MRS. CRAWFORD EXPRESSED NO REASON TO QUESTION THE LOYALTY OF SIMON RAMO. SHE KNOWS NOTHING DEROGATORY CONCERNING HIM INCLUDING USE OF NARCOTICS OR ABUSE OF ALCOHOL AND NOTED THAT HE WAS EXTREMELY DEVOTED TO HIS WIFE. SHE WOULD HAVE NO HESITATION IN RECOMMENDING HIM FOR A SENSITIVE POSITION.

DR. ROBERT BURNETTE, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER OF THE DEFENSE SYSTEMS GROUP, TRW, WAS CONTACTED ON JULY 13, 1984. HE ADVISED THAT HE FIRST BECAME ACQUAINTED WITH SIMON RAMO ABOUT 1956 WHEN THE COMPANY WAS STILL KNOWN AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE. AT THAT TIME, RAMO WAS THE CHIEF RECRUITER FOR THE COMPANY AND BURNETTE MET HIM WHILE BURNETTE WAS A PROFESSOR AT PURDUE UNIVERSITY.

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BURNETTE ADVISED THAT THE COMPANY WHICH STARTED OUT AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE HAS EXPANDED AND GROWN DUE TO THE LEADERSHIP OF RAMO UNTIL IT IS NOW KNOWN AS TRW AND IS A LEADER IN IT'S FIELD. IT IS NOTED THAT RAMO RETIRED FROM TRW IN 1978, HOWEVER, IS STILL ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN THE ACTIVITY OF TRW AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND ON A CONSULTING BASIS. HE ADVISED THAT RAMO HAS AN OUTSTANDING REPUTATION IS CONSIDERED A LOYAL INDIVIDUAL. BURNETTE SEES RAMO ON A SOCIAL BASIS AS WELL AS A WORK BASIS ON OCCASION AND NOTED THAT ALL OF THE FRIENDS OF RAMO ARE "UPPER CRUST." BURNETTE SAID THAT RAMO IS CONSIDERED A BRILLIANT SCIENTIST AND INVENTOR WHO IS WELL READ IN MANY AREAS INCLUDING INTERNATIONAL MATTERS, POLITICS, AND EVEN TENNIS TO THE POINT THAT HE HAS WRITTEN A BOOK ON TENNIS. RAMO IS AN INTELLECTUAL LEADER AND A GREAT ENVISIONARY WHO KNOWS HIS LIMITATIONS AND IS ~~ABLE~~ <sup>ABLE</sup> TO GET TO THE HEART OF MATTERS VERY QUICKLY. HE IS A VERY ARTICULATE, BROAD MINDED INDIVIDUAL WHO IS OPIN-

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IONATED INCLUDING A STAND ON ARMS LIMITATIONS. RAMO MIXES WELL WITH OTHER INDIVIDUALS AND IS VERY GREGARIOUS AND CHARITABLE, DONATING MUCH TO VARIOUS CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDING AN AUDITORIUM WHICH IS NOW NAMED AFTER HIM AT THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.

BURNETTE STATED HE KNEW OF NO ABUSES OF ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS BY RAMO AND WOULD HAVE NO PROBLEM WHATSOEVER IN RECOMMENDING RAMO FOR A POSITION OF SENSITIVITY.

CHARLES W. STEPHENS, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER OF TRW'S ELECTRONICS SYSTEMS GROUP, WAS CONTACTED ON JULY 13, 1984. STEPHENS ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE COMING TO THE COMPANY APPROXIMATELY 27 YEARS AGO, AND HE HAS WORKED VERY CLOSELY WITH RAMO FOR THE LAST SEVEN OR EIGHT YEARS. HE HAS FOUND RAMO TO BE A VERY HARDWORKING, COMPLETELY HONEST INDIVIDUAL WHO IS STILL ACTIVE AND INVOLVED FOR HIS AGE WHICH IS AROUND 70. RAMO HAS A GOOD REPUTATION AND STEPHENS IS CERTAIN THAT RAMO IS A DEDICATED, PATRIOTIC, INVOLVED PERSON.

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RAMO NOW HAS A GOOD REPUTATION IN HIS SENIOR STATEMAN'S ROLE AND RAMO IS STILL INTERESTED AND INVOLVED IN KEY, TECHNOLOGICAL MATTERS. RAMO IS RESPECTED FOR HIS TECHNOLOGICAL BRILLIANCE AND ACHIEVEMENTS WITH TRW AND THE NATIONS STRATEGIC MILITARY SYSTEMS.

AS FOR RAMO'S ASSOCIATES, THEY ARE ALL VERY "SENIOR PEOPLE IN THE BUSINESS AND ALSO PROMINENT INDIVIDUALS" IN THE WASHINGTON, D.C. AND LOS ANGELES AREA. STEPHENS RELATED THAT HE HAD NEVER SEEN ANY EVIDENCE OF ANY NARCOTICS USE OR ABUSE OF ALCOHOL BY RAMO AND KNEW OF NO REASON NOT TO RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF CONFIDENCE AND TRUST.

DAN SCALLY, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL PROGRAMS, TRW INCORPORATED, WAS PERSONALLY CONTACTED ON JULY 13, 1984.

SCALLY ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1957 AND IN THE MID 1960'S, WORKED VERY CLOSELY WITH HIM HAVING TO GIVE HIM ANALYSIS BRIEFINGS ON A REGULAR BASIS. HE DESCRIBED RAMO AS A MAN OF ABSOLUTE

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HONESTY AND INTEGRITY AND ONE WHO IS CONSIDERED A "VISIONARY" IN THE AEROSPACE FIELD. RAMO IS WELL KNOWN, HIGHLY RESPECTED INDIVIDUAL IN EDUCATION AND SCIENCE.

SCALLY CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE ABSOLUTELY LOYAL IN EVERY RESPECT AND AN INDIVIDUAL WHO ASSOCIATES ONLY WITH THE FINEST OF PEOPLE. HE NOTED THAT THE CLOSE FRIENDS OF RAMO SEEM TO BE HIGH LEVEL PEOPLE IN THE LOCAL COMMUNITY AS WELL AS THE EDUCATION COMMUNITY AND THOSE IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

HE CONTINUED THAT RAMO APPEARS TO BE A VERY TEMPERANT PERSON IN HIS DEMEANOR AND HE KNOWS OF NO PROBLEMS WITH ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS. IN FACT, SCALLY ADVISED THAT HE KNEW OF NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION CONCERNING RAMO WHATSOEVER AND WOULD RECOMMEND HIM WITHOUT HESITATION FOR A POSITION OF SENSITIVITY AND TRUST.

RESIDENCE:

1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA:

ON JULY 11, 1984, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED SPECIAL AGENT (SA) [REDACTED]

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SHE IS ACQUAINTED WITH THE RAMO FAMILY WHO RESIDES NEXT DOOR. DR. AND MRS. RAMO ARE OUTSTANDING MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY AND ARE WONDERFUL NEIGHBORS. THE APPOINTEE AND HIS WIFE ARE LEADERS IN CIVIC FUNCTIONS AND DR. RAMO HAS THE REPUTATION AS BEING ONE OF THE LEADING SCIENTISTS IN THE COUNTRY.

[REDACTED] SAID SHE WAS NOT AWARE OF ANYTHING OF AN UNFAVORABLE NATURE REGARDING THE APPOINTEE OR ANY MEMBER OF HIS FAMILY. THE RAMO'S ARE VERY CHARMING AND GRACIOUS PEOPLE. SHE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE TO A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. DR. AND MRS. RAMO ARE LOYAL, LAW-ABIDING CITIZENS AND PERSONS OF THE HIGHEST CHARACTER, REPUTATION, LOYALTY AND ASSOCIATES.

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ON JULY 11, 1984, [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THAT HER FAMILY AND THE RAMO FAMILY HAVE BEEN FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS FOR MANY YEARS. DR. RAMO IS A WELL-KNOWN SCIENTIST AND AN EXECUTIVE WITH TRW, INC., OF WHICH HE IS A CO-FOUNDER. BOTH HE AND MRS.

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RAMO ARE VERY ACTIVE IN CIVIC AFFAIRS AND THEY HAVE REPUTATIONS AS LEADING COMMUNITY LEADERS.

THE APPOINTEE IS A PERSON OF THE HIGHEST CHARACTER, REPUTATION, LOYALTY AND ASSOCIATES. DR. AND MRS. RAMO ARE WONDERFUL PEOPLE AND THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NOTHING UNFAVORABLE IN THEIR BACKGROUNDS. [REDACTED] HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE TO A HIGH GOVERNMENT POST.

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ON JULY 13, 1984, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THAT SHE IS ACQUAINTED WITH DR. RAMO AS NEIGHBORS, BUT DOES NOT HAVE ANY SOCIAL CONTACT WITH THE APPOINTEE OR HIS WIFE. THE RAMO FAMILY ARE FINE CITIZENS AND GOOD MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY. SHE WAS NOT AWARE OF ANYTHING OF AN UNFAVORABLE NATURE REGARDING THE APPOINTEE OR ANY MEMBER OF HIS FAMILY. SHE KNEW OF NO REASON TO QUESTION HIS LOYALTY TO THE U.S. AND KNEW OF NO REASON WHY SHE COULD NOT RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF TRUST WITH THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

REFERENCE:

DR. GEORGE S. SOLOMON, TRW INCORPORATED, ONE SPACE

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PARK, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA:

ON JULY 12, 1984, DR. SOLOMON, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE ELECTRONICS AND DEFENSE SECTOR OF TRW, WAS PERSONALLY CONTACTED AND HE ADVISED THE FOLLOWING:

THE APPLICANT STARTED A COMPANY IN THE EARLY 1950'S KNOWN AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE, WHICH LATER BECAME THOMPSON, RAMO, WOOLDRIDGE, AND LATER BECAME KNOWN TRW. DR. SOLOMON HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1953 WHEN THE COMPANY WAS KNOWN AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE AND WHEN DR. SOLOMON JOINED THE FIRM. SINCE THEN, HE HAS CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH RAMO WHO RETIRED AS VICE-CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TRW IN 1978. RAMO IS STILL ACTIVE WITH TRW AS A MEMBER OF THE ~~BOARD~~ <sup>BOARD</sup> OF DIRECTORS.

AS RAMO WAS A FOUNDER OF TRW AND ALSO OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF ENGINEERS, HE IS CONSIDERED AN "ENCYCLOPEDIA" IN THE AEROSPACE FIELD. RAMO IS A VERY WARM, <sup>57</sup> OUTGOING PERSON WHO IS CONSIDERED A BRILLIANT PERSON AND VERY CAPABLE. RAMO HAS A BROAD RANGE OF INTERESTS INCLUDING PLAYING THE VIOLIN, AND HE IS

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THAT DR. STEVER WAS IN LOS ANGELES YESTERDAY AND HAS LEFT  
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CAN BE REACHED THROUGH TELEPHONE NUMBER (603) 466-3841.

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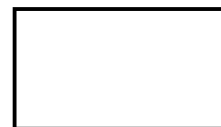
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GUYFORD STEVER AT RANDOLPH, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

DR. STEVER TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED THE LOS ANGELES  
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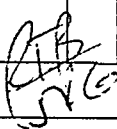

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DETAILS:

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EMPLOYMENT:

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ON JULY 12, 1984, GEORGE HARTER, CORPORATE VICE PRESIDENT AND ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER OF THE ELECTRONICS AND DEFENSE SECTOR, TRW INCORPORATED, REDONDO BEACH, WAS PERSONALLY CONTACTED. HARTER ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN OF SIMON RAMO FOR APPROXIMATELY 27 YEARS AND HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH HIM CLOSELY ON A PROFESSIONAL BASIS FOR 20 YEARS. HE NOTED THAT RAMO WAS ONE OF THE FOUNDING MEMBERS OF TRW IN THE EARLY 1950'S AND ALTHOUGH RETIRING IN 1978, IS STILL A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND IS HEAVILY INVOLVED IN CONSULTING ACTIVITIES WITH TRW. HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE A VERY BRILLIANT INDIVIDUAL WHO IS A "GOOD IDEA MAN". RAMO'S STRENGTHS ARE AS A GOOD PROVIDER OF LEADERSHIP AND ONE WHO POSSESSES A GOOD TECHNICAL BACKGROUND. HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO HAVE AN IMPECCABLE LOYALTY TOWARD THE UNITED STATES AND KNOWS NOTHING IN HIS BACKGROUND OF A DEROGATORY NATURE.

ALTHOUGH HARTER KNOWS RAMO ONLY ON IN A BUSINESS SENSE, HE KNOWS OF THE ASSOCIATES OF RAMO AND CONSIDERS THEM TO ALL BE OF A HIGH LEVEL BEING INVOLVED IN THE ARTS, POLITICS, AND EDUCATION. HE DOES NOT KNOW OF RAMO EVER USING ANY NARCOTICS AND ONLY BELIEVES THAT HE DRINKS TO SLIGHT MODERATION. HARTER KNOWS OF NO BAD HABITS THAT RAMO HAS AND WOULD RECOMMEND HIM WITHOUT HESITATION FOR A CONFIDENTIAL POSITION.

DR. ROBERT BROMBERG WAS CONTACTED AT TRW ON JULY 12, 1984. DR. BROMBERG RETIRED FROM TRW IN FEBRUARY, 1982, HOWEVER, IS NOW CONSULTING TO TRW ONE OR TWO DAYS A WEEK. WHEN HE RETIRED, HE WAS VICE PRESIDENT OF RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING. HE ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1954 WHEN DR. BROMBERG WAS AT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT LOS ANGELES.

HE ADVISED THAT RAMO HAS A REPUTATION OF BEING A VERY BRIGHT, INNOVATIVE PERSON WHO IS AN INTELLECTUAL AND EXCEEDINGLY HONEST. RAMO HAS VERY HIGH INTEGRITY

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AND HAS FOSTERED THIS ATTITUDE WITHIN TRW. RAMO HAS CONTRIBUTED MUCH TO THE AEROSPACE INDUSTRY AND HAS PUSHED THE STANDARDS OF THE INDUSTRY UP BECAUSE OF HIS DEDICATION AND KNOWLEDGE IN THE FIELD. RAMO IS VIEWED AS A GOOD SPOKESMAN FOR THE INDUSTRY IN THE APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGY.

HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE A VERY GOOD, LOYAL CITIZEN. ALTHOUGH NOT BEING ACQUAINTED WITH THE ASSOCIATES OF RAMO, DR. BROMBERG ADVISED THAT RAMO'S ASSOCIATES ARE ALL GOOD UPSTANDING PEOPLE. HE NOTED THAT RAMO IS HEAVILY INVOLVED IN CHARITABLE WORK, MUSIC AND THE ARTS. ALSO, RAMO IS ON A NUMBER OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR LARGE COMPANIES IN THE UNITED STATES.

DR. BROMBERG KNOWS OF NO PROBLEMS WITH ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS OR ANY OTHER DEROGATORY INFORMATION CONCERNING RAMO AND WOULD RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF CONFIDENCE AND TRUST SUBJECT TO ANY PHYSICAL LIMITATIONS DUE TO HIS AGE ALTHOUGH DR. BROMBERG IS NOT AWARE OF ANY HEALTH PROBLEMS.

CONNIE D. CRAWFORD, DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY AND CIVIC RELATIONS, ELECTRONICS AND DEFENSE SECTOR, TRW INCORPORATED, WAS CONTACTED ON JULY 12, 1984. SHE ADVISED THAT SHE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1973 WHEN CRAWFORD JOINED TRW AND FROM 1980 TO 1982 WORKED VERY CLOSELY WITH HIM IN CONNECTION WITH PROJECTS THAT RAMO WAS VITALLY INTERESTED IN. SHE HAS HAD SOME SOCIAL INTERRELATIONS WITH HIM, HOWEVER, MOST OF HER CONTACT HAS BEEN IN A WORK ATMOSPHERE. THEY HAVE A NUMBER OF MUTUAL SOCIAL FRIENDS AND SHE ADVISED THAT ALL OF HIS FRIENDS ARE OF HIGH CALIBER, HIGH RANKING PEOPLE.

RAMO HAS AN EXCELLENT REPUTATION AND IS CONSIDERED ALMOST A GENIUS. HE IS VERY ETHICAL, A STRONG WILLED, OUTSPOKEN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS CONSIDERED A COMPLETE SCIENTIST AND A FAIRLY GOOD ENTREPRENEUR. HE HAS MAINTAINED BOTH HIS SCIENTIFIC CREDENTIALS AND HIS INDUSTRIAL STATEMAN'S CREDENTIALS.

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MRS. CRAWFORD EXPRESSED NO REASON TO QUESTION THE LOYALTY OF SIMON RAMO. SHE KNOWS NOTHING DEROGATORY CONCERNING HIM INCLUDING USE OF NARCOTICS OR ABUSE OF ALCOHOL AND NOTED THAT HE WAS EXTREMELY DEVOTED TO HIS WIFE. SHE WOULD HAVE NO HESITATION IN RECOMMENDING HIM FOR A SENSITIVE POSITION.

DR. ROBERT BURNETTE, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER OF THE DEFENSE SYSTEMS GROUP, TRW, WAS CONTACTED ON JULY 13, 1984. HE ADVISED THAT HE FIRST BECAME ACQUAINTED WITH SIMON RAMO ABOUT 1956 WHEN THE COMPANY WAS STILL KNOWN AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE. AT THAT TIME, RAMO WAS THE CHIEF RECRUITER FOR THE COMPANY AND BURNETTE MET HIM WHILE BURNETTE WAS A PROFESSOR AT PURDUE UNIVERSITY.

BURNETTE ADVISED THAT THE COMPANY WHICH STARTED OUT AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE HAS EXPANDED AND GROWN DUE TO THE LEADERSHIP OF RAMO UNTIL IT IS NOW KNOWN AS TRW AND IS A LEADER IN IT'S FIELD. IT IS NOTED THAT RAMO RETIRED FROM TRW IN 1978, HOWEVER, IS STILL ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN THE ACTIVITY OF TRW AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND ON A CONSULTING BASIS. HE ADVISED THAT RAMO HAS AN OUTSTANDING REPUTATION IS CONSIDERED A LOYAL INDIVIDUAL. BURNETTE SEES RAMO ON A SOCIAL BASIS AS WELL AS A WORK BASIS ON OCCASION AND NOTED THAT ALL OF THE FRIENDS OF RAMO ARE "UPPER CRUST." BURNETTE SAID THAT RAMO IS CONSIDERED A BRILLIANT SCIENTIST AND INVENTOR WHO IS WELL READ IN MANY AREAS INCLUDING INTERNATIONAL MATTERS, POLITICS, AND EVEN TENNIS TO THE POINT THAT HE HAS WRITTEN A BOOK ON TENNIS. RAMO IS AN INTELLECTUAL LEADER AND A GREAT ENVISIONARY WHO KNOWS HIS LIMITATIONS AND IS ABLE TO GET TO THE HEART OF MATTERS VERY QUICKLY. HE IS A VERY ARTICULATE, BROAD MINDED INDIVIDUAL WHO IS OPINIONATED INCLUDING A STAND ON ARMS LIMITATIONS. RAMO MIXES WELL WITH OTHER INDIVIDUALS AND IS VERY GREGARIOUS AND CHARITABLE, DONATING MUCH TO VARIOUS CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDING AN AUDITORIUM WHICH IS NOW NAMED AFTER HIM AT THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.

BURNETTE STATED HE KNEW OF NO ABUSES OF ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS BY RAMO AND WOULD HAVE NO PROBLEM WHATSOEVER IN RECOMMENDING RAMO FOR A POSITION OF SENSITIVITY.

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CHARLES W. STEPHENS, VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER OF TRW'S ELECTRONICS SYSTEMS GROUP, WAS CONTACTED ON JULY 13, 1984. STEPHENS ADVISED HE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE COMING TO THE COMPANY APPROXIMATELY 27 YEARS AGO, AND HE HAS WORKED VERY CLOSELY WITH RAMO FOR THE LAST SEVEN OR EIGHT YEARS. HE HAS FOUND RAMO TO BE A VERY HARDWORKING, COMPLETELY HONEST INDIVIDUAL WHO IS STILL ACTIVE AND INVOLVED FOR HIS AGE WHICH IS AROUND 70. RAMO HAS A GOOD REPUTATION AND STEPHENS IS CERTAIN THAT RAMO IS A DEDICATED, PATRIOTIC, INVOLVED PERSON. RAMO NOW HAS A GOOD REPUTATION IN HIS SENIOR STATEMAN'S ROLE AND RAMO IS STILL INTERESTED AND INVOLVED IN KEY, TECHNOLOGICAL MATTERS. RAMO IS RESPECTED FOR HIS TECHNOLOGICAL BRILLIANCE AND ACHIEVEMENTS WITH TRW AND THE NATIONS STRATEGIC MILITARY SYSTEMS.

AS FOR RAMO'S ASSOCIATES, THEY ARE ALL VERY "SENIOR PEOPLE IN THE BUSINESS AND ALSO PROMINENT INDIVIDUALS" IN THE WASHINGTON, D.C. AND LOS ANGELES AREA. STEPHENS RELATED THAT HE HAD NEVER SEEN ANY EVIDENCE OF ANY NARCOTICS USE OR ABUSE OF ALCOHOL BY RAMO AND KNEW OF NO REASON NOT TO RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF CONFIDENCE AND TRUST.

DAN SCALLY, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL PROGRAMS, TRW INCORPORATED, WAS PERSONALLY CONTACTED ON JULY 13, 1984.

SCALLY ADVISED THAT HE HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1957 AND IN THE MID 1960'S, WORKED VERY CLOSELY WITH HIM HAVING TO GIVE HIM ANALYSIS BRIEFINGS ON A REGULAR BASIS. HE DESCRIBED RAMO AS A MAN OF ABSOLUTE HONESTY AND INTEGRITY AND ONE WHO IS CONSIDERED A "VISIONARY" IN THE AEROSPACE FIELD. RAMO IS WELL KNOWN, HIGHLY RESPECTED INDIVIDUAL IN EDUCATION AND SCIENCE.

SCALLY CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE ABSOLUTELY LOYAL IN EVERY RESPECT AND AN INDIVIDUAL WHO ASSOCIATES ONLY WITH THE FINEST OF PEOPLE. HE NOTED THAT THE CLOSE FRIENDS OF RAMO SEEM TO BE HIGH LEVEL PEOPLE IN THE LOCAL COMMUNITY AS WELL AS THE EDUCATION COMMUNITY AND THOSE IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

HE CONTINUED THAT RAMO APPEARS TO BE A VERY TEMPERANT PERSON IN HIS DEMEANOR AND HE KNOWS OF NO PROBLEMS WITH ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS. IN FACT, SCALLY ADVISED THAT HE KNEW OF NO DEROGATORY INFORMATION CONCERNING RAMO WHATSOEVER AND WOULD RECOMMEND HIM WITHOUT HESITATION FOR A POSITION OF SENSITIVITY AND TRUST.

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RESIDENCE:

1025 LOMA VISTA DRIVE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA;

ON JULY 11, 1984, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] ADVISED SPECIAL AGENT (SA) [REDACTED] THAT SHE IS ACQUAINTED WITH THE RAMO FAMILY WHO RESIDES NEXT DOOR. DR. AND MRS. RAMO ARE OUTSTANDING MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY AND ARE WONDERFUL NEIGHBORS. THE APPOINTEE AND HIS WIFE ARE LEADERS IN CIVIC FUNCTIONS AND DR. RAMO HAS THE REPUTATION AS BEING ONE OF THE LEADING SCIENTISTS IN THE COUNTRY.

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[REDACTED] SAID SHE WAS NOT AWARE OF ANYTHING OF AN UNFAVORABLE NATURE REGARDING THE APPOINTEE OR ANY MEMBER OF HIS FAMILY. THE RAMO'S ARE VERY CHARMING AND GRACIOUS PEOPLE. SHE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE TO A POSITION OF TRUST AND CONFIDENCE WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. DR. AND MRS. RAMO ARE LOYAL, LAW-ABIDING CITIZENS AND PERSONS OF THE HIGHEST CHARACTER, REPUTATION, LOYALTY AND ASSOCIATES.

ON JULY 11, 1984, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THAT HER FAMILY AND THE RAMO FAMILY HAVE BEEN FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS FOR MANY YEARS. DR. RAMO IS A WELL-KNOWN SCIENTIST AND AN EXECUTIVE WITH TRW, INC., OF WHICH HE IS A CO-FOUNDER. BOTH HE AND MRS. RAMO ARE VERY ACTIVE IN CIVIC AFFAIRS AND THEY HAVE REPUTATIONS AS LEADING COMMUNITY LEADERS.

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THE APPOINTEE IS A PERSON OF THE HIGHEST CHARACTER, REPUTATION, LOYALTY AND ASSOCIATES. DR. AND MRS. RAMO ARE WONDERFUL PEOPLE AND THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NOTHING UNFAVORABLE IN THEIR BACKGROUNDS. [REDACTED] HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE TO A HIGH GOVERNMENT POST.

ON JULY 13, 1984, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THAT SHE IS ACQUAINTED WITH DR. RAMO AS NEIGHBORS, BUT DOES NOT HAVE ANY SOCIAL CONTACT WITH THE APPOINTEE OR HIS WIFE. THE RAMO FAMILY ARE FINE CITIZENS AND GOOD MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY. SHE WAS NOT AWARE OF ANYTHING OF AN UNFAVORABLE NATURE REGARDING THE APPOINTEE OR ANY MEMBER OF HIS FAMILY. SHE KNEW OF NO REASON TO QUESTION HIS LOYALTY TO THE U.S. AND KNEW OF NO REASON WHY SHE COULD NOT RECOMMEND HIM FOR A POSITION OF TRUST WITH THE U.S. GOVERNMENT.

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REFERENCE:

DR. GEORGE S. SOLOMON, TRW INCORPORATED, ONE SPACE PARK, REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA:

ON JULY 12, 1984, DR. SOLOMON, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE ELECTRONICS AND DEFENSE SECTOR OF TRW, WAS PERSONALLY CONTACTED AND HE ADVISED THE FOLLOWING:

THE APPLICANT STARTED A COMPANY IN THE EARLY 1950'S KNOWN AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE, WHICH LATER BECAME THOMPSON, RAMO, WOOLDRIDGE, AND LATER BECAME KNOWN TRW. DR. SOLOMON HAS KNOWN SIMON RAMO SINCE 1953 WHEN THE COMPANY WAS KNOWN AS RAMO - WOOLDRIDGE AND WHEN DR. SOLOMON JOINED THE FIRM. SINCE THEN, HE HAS CLOSE ASSOCIATION WITH RAMO WHO RETIRED AS VICE-CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TRW IN 1978. RAMO IS STILL ACTIVE WITH TRW AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

AS RAMO WAS A FOUNDER OF TRW AND ALSO OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF ENGINEERS, HE IS CONSIDERED AN "ENCYCLOPEDIA" IN THE AEROSPACE FIELD. RAMO IS A VERY WARM, OUTGOING PERSON WHO IS CONSIDERED A BRILLIANT PERSON AND VERY CAPABLE. RAMO HAS A BROAD RANGE OF INTERESTS INCLUDING PLAYING THE VIOLIN, AND HE IS VERY ACTIVE IN THE ARTS AND MUSIC. DR. SOLOMON CONSIDERS RAMO TO HAVE AN EXCELLENT REPUTATION BOTH AS A PERSON AND AS AN INDIVIDUAL IN THE AEROSPACE FIELD. ACCORDING TO DR. SOLOMON, BOTH THE APPOINTEE AND HIS WIFE "TRAVEL IN GOOD CIRCLES", SELECTING ONLY THE HIGHEST CALIBER OF FRIENDS.

SOLOMON CONTINUED THAT THERE IS NO QUESTION ABOUT RAMO'S LOYALTY TO THE UNITED STATES AND HE WOULD HIGHLY RECOMMEND RAMO FOR A POSITION OF SENSITIVITY AND TRUST. HE CONSIDERS RAMO TO BE A VERY MODERATE INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS NO VICES AND HE KNOWS OF NOTHING DEROGATORY CONCERNING RAMO INCLUDING ABUSES OF ALCOHOL OR NARCOTICS.

ON JULY 24, 1984, DR. H. GUYFORD STEVER, 1528-33RD STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C., TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED THE LOS ANGELES FBI OFFICE DURING A CHANGE OF PLANES AND ADVISED THAT HE HAS BEEN A CLOSE ASSOCIATE, FRIEND, AND COLLEAGUE OF THE APPOINTEE FOR OVER 30 YEARS. DR. GUYFORD DESCRIBED THE APPOINTEE AS ONE OF THE NATION'S FOREMOST SCIENTIFIC MINDS. HE IS A PERSON OF THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY, TRUSTWORTHINESS, CAPABILITY AND COMPETENCE. THE APPOINTEE IS HIGHLY REGARDED IN THE SCIENTIFIC FIELD AND FOR MANY

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YEARS HAS SERVED THIS COUNTRY IN AN ADMIRABLE FASHION. HIS CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES, REPUTATION, AND LOYALTY AS AN AMERICAN CITIZEN ARE ABOVE REPROACH.

DR. STEVER SAID HE IS CONFIDENT THAT DR. RAMO WILL CONTINUE TO BE AN ASSET IN HIS SERVICE TO THE NATION AND HE GIVES HIS HIGHEST RECOMMENDATION.

ASSOCIATES:

ON JULY 18, 1984, OTIS CHANDLER, EDITOR-IN-CHIEF, TIMES MIRROR, LOS ANGELES TIMES, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THAT APPOINTEE HAD BEEN A MEMBER OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF TIMES-MIRROR FOR MANY YEARS. DR. RAMO IS A DISTINGUISHED SCIENTIST AND A BUSINESSMAN AND CIVIC LEADER OF IMPECCABLE CHARACTER AND REPUTATION. HE IS A TALENTED PERSON OF THE HIGHEST INTEGRITY AND HONESTY AND HE HAS ENJOYED A FINE REPUTATION IN THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY AND CIVIC CIRCLES. HIS ACCOMPLISHMENTS; SCIENTIFIC, ACADEMIC, AND CIVIC ARE WELL KNOWN.

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MR. CHANDLER STATED THE APPOINTEE HAS SERVED THE UNITED STATES AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WITH GREAT DISTINCTION ALL THESE YEARS AND UNDOUBTEDLY WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO IF CALLED UPON BY HIS COUNTRY. HE GAVE HIS HIGHEST RECOMMENDATION TO THE APPOINTEE TO A POSITION OF TRUST WITH THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

ON JULY 26, 1984, F. DANIEL FROST, SENIOR PARTNER, LAW FIRM OF GIBSON, DUNN, AND CRUTCHER, 515 SOUTH FLOWER, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED SA [REDACTED] THAT HE HAS BEEN ACQUAINTED WITH THE APPOINTEE FOR MANY YEARS HAVING SERVED WITH HIM AS FELLOW BOARD MEMBERS OF THE TIMES-MIRROR CORPORATION AS WELL AS THE PERFORMING ARTS COUNCIL OF THE MUSIC CENTER OF WHICH HE (FROST) IS CURRENTLY VICE-CHAIRMAN ON THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS. THE APPOINTEE IS A PERSON OF IMPECCABLE CHARACTER, ASSOCIATES REPUTATION AND LOYALTY. HE IS A CIVIC LEADER AND A BUSINESSMAN WITH THE HIGHEST OF REPUTATIONS IN THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY. RAMO AND HIS COMPANY HAS SERVED THE AMERICAN PUBLIC WITH DISTINCTION FOR MANY YEARS AND IS CERTAINLY RECOMMENDED FOR ANY POSITION WITH THE GOVERNMENT.

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ON AUGUST 7, 1984, WALTER O'MALLEY, OWNER OF THE LOS ANGELES DODGERS, DODGER STADIUM, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED SA [ ] THAT HE KNOWS THE APPOINTEE THROUGH THEIR ASSOCIATION AS BOARD MEMBERS OF UNION BANK CORPORATION, 445 SOUTH FIGUEROA, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. MR. O'MALLEY STATED THE APPOINTEE IS A HIGHLY REGARDED AND RESPECTED BUSINESS LEADER AND CIVIC LEADER. RAMO IS A BRILLIANT SCIENTIST AND EXECUTIVE AND IS A PERSON OF IMPECCABLE CHARACTER, REPUTATION, LOYALTY AND ASSOCIATES. HE IS WELL-KNOWN FOR HIS SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS AND HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO CIVIC ORIENTED PROJECTS. HE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE APPOINTEE TO A HIGH GOVERNMENT POSITION.

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ON AUGUST 10, 1984, THOMAS JONES, PRESIDENT, NORTHRUP CORPORATION, 3901 BROADWAY, HAWTHORNE, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED SA [ ] THAT HE HAD HAD A LONG ASSOCIATION WITH DR. RAMO FOR MANY YEARS THROUGH THEIR DIRECTORSHIPS WITH THE CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND THE LOS ANGELES WORLD AFFAIR COUNCIL. THE APPOINTEE IS AN OUTSTANDING PERSON. HE IS WIDELY RESPECTED AND HIGHLY REGARDED AS A BUSINESSMAN AND EXECUTIVE LEADER, SCIENTIST, AUTHOR AND ADMINISTRATOR. HE IS A PERSON OF THE HIGHEST CHARACTER, REPUTATION, ASSOCIATES, AND LOYALTY. THE APPOINTEE HAS SERVED HIS COUNTRY AND HIS COMMUNITY WITH GREAT DISTINCTION AND IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT.

CREDIT AND ARREST:

ON JULY 13, 1984, RECORDS OF EQUIFAX SERVICES, INC, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, WERE CHECKED BY INVESTIGATIVE ASSISTANT (IA) [ ] AND THOSE RECORDS INDICATED THE APPOINTEE HAS BEEN ON FILE SINCE 1977. ALL OF THE ACCOUNTS ARE CURRENT AND RAMO HAS AN EXCELLENT CREDIT RATING.

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ON JULY 10, 1984, RECORDS OF THE LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT AND LOS ANGELES SHERIFF'S OFFICE, BOTH AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, WERE CHECKED BY IA [ ] AND NO RECORD WAS LOCATED REGARDING THE APPOINTEE, APPOINTEE'S WIFE OR OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS.

ON JULY 10, 1984, RECORDS OF THE BEVERLY HILLS POLICE DEPARTMENT WERE CHECKED BY IA [ ] AND NO RECORD WAS LOCATED IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE OR HIS WIFE.

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ON JULY 13, 1984, RECORDS OF THE REDONDO BEACH  
POLICE DEPARTMENT WERE CHECKED BY SA [REDACTED]  
AND NO RECORD WAS LOCATED REGARDING THE APPOINTEE.

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UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE:

ON JULY 13, 1984, [REDACTED] U.S. ATTORNEY'S  
OFFICE, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT A CHECK  
OF THE RECORDS FOR THE CIVIL AND CRIMINAL DOCKETS DIS-  
CLOSED NO INFORMATION IDENTIFIABLE WITH THE APPOINTEE.